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M. BARTHOU AND SIR JOHN SIMON IN QUARREL

Uproar at Meeting of Disarmament Conference



Lieut.-Comdr. M. Sherwood, R.N., the leader of the "Taimoshan" party, snapped aboard during the course of the voyage.

TAIMOSHAN AT DARTMOUTH

TRIP FROM HONGKONG COMPLETED

WITHIN DAY OF ANNIVERSARY

London, May 30. Within a few hours of the anniversary of their departure from Hongkong a year ago, five British naval officers sailed the "Taimoshan" into Dartmouth this evening, completing a long voyage across the Atlantic from Bermuda without touching land at any intervening point.

A great welcome was given at Dartmouth where a launch from the Royal Naval College, where the voyagers were once cadets, met them at Dartmouth Castle and towed them up the harbour escorted by several parties of college cadets in gigs.

The voyage from Hongkong is regarded as a fine feat and a tribute to their craft, a 24-ton ketch.

ENTIRELY UNDER SAIL.

The year-long voyage was made entirely under sail, although the party had auxiliary power.

Lieutenant-Commander M. B. Sherwood of HMS Hermes, is the leader of the party, his companions being Lieut. R. E. P. Hyder, Lieut. P. S. Francis, Lieut. G. S. Salt, and Surgeon-Lieut. Ormanney-Davis.

LOG OF JOURNEY.

The log of the "Taimoshan's" journey follows:—

May 31: Left Hongkong.
June 5: Arrived Keelung.
June 9: Left Keelung.
June 20: Arrived Yokohama.
July 10: Arrived Nemuro, Hokkaido.
August 21: Arrived Dutch Harbour, Alaska.
September 12: Arrived Vancouver, B.C.
November 2: Left San Pedro, 1934.

January 5: Reached Panama Canal.

February 3: Left Jamaica.
February 13: Ashore on Crooked Island, in the Bahamas. Refloated. Repaired at Nassau.

March 23: Left Nassau.

April 2: Arrived Bermuda.

May 1: Left Bermuda.

The "Taimoshan" was designed by Mr. H. S. Rose, the Vice-Commodore of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club, assisted by Mr. E. Cock, Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., who constructed her.

She is built on racing lines, and it was the intention of her owners to enter her in some of the races organised by the Royal Ocean Racing Club at home. Reuter.

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BRITISH EXPORT CREDITS

LIFE OF SCHEME EXTENDED

BIG CONTRACTS FACILITATED

London, May 30. The life of the Export Credits Guarantee Department is to be extended until 1940, a tribute to the success of its activities, particularly in the last twelve months.

The question of extension was before the House of Commons today and it was agreed almost unanimously to adopt the Government's proposal for keeping the Department in being until 1940.

The scheme up to now has been remarkably successful.

The Department has been the agency behind the covering of exports valued at over £50,000,000 and recently it has been increasingly enterprising, having facilitated the conclusion of big contracts for British firms in many parts of the world.

It is learned that the Advisory Committee directing the policy of the Department is recommending a reduction of thirty per cent. on the premiums for Russian business.—Reuter.

WATERLOO BRIDGE SCHEME

Rejected by House of Commons

London, May 31. The Waterloo Bridge scheme has been condemned by Parliament.

The House of Commons last night, by a majority of 194 votes to 159, rejected the plan approved by the Labour majority of the London County Council to demolish the existing Waterloo Bridge and to build a new one.—Reuter.

THE KAILAN MINE FIRE

THIRTY-TWO DIE IN INJURIES

Tientsin, May 31. The fire which broke out in the underground electric winch room of the Kailan Mine at Tangchinchwang has proved more serious than was at first believed.

One hundred and twenty workers have been rescued but 32 succumbed.

The situation is now under control and the fire is being localised.—Reuter.

SANDHAM SCORES 201 NOT OUT

Australian Bowling Thrashed

Another veteran England cricketer showed the youngsters how to play the Australian bowling to-day, at the Oval, when Sandham hit up 201 not out in a total of 372 for 3 in 330 minutes.

Sandham played delightfully free cricket after a slow start, his hits including a six and 21 fours. He established a record for a second wicket partnership against the Australians, with Gregory.

DISASTER FUND

CLOSURE OF LIST TO-DAY

To-day witnesses the closing of the Telegraph Fund on behalf of the sufferers in the gasworks disaster, to which there has been a splendid response.

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ANGLO-FRENCH BREACH CERTAIN

PERSONAL ATTACK ON SIR JOHN SIMON

CHANGE OF VIEWS PARADED

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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GENEVA, MAY 30.

A COMPLETE BREACH BETWEEN BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN DISARMAMENT MATTERS THREATENS FINAL COLLAPSE OF THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE AS THE RESULT OF A SHARPLY-WORDED, IRONICAL SPEECH BY M. BARTHOU, ATTACKING SIR JOHN SIMON'S EFFORTS TO REACH A COMPROMISE AGREEMENT.

The French Minister, addressing the General Commission to-day, compared Sir John's resistance to German rearmament a year ago with his readiness to make concessions to-day in a manner which caused uproar.

The speech was the culmination of a personal quarrel between Sir John Simon and M. Barthou which has been pursued in the corridors in the last few days. An end of Anglo-French co-operation seems the certain outcome.

DAY GIVEN FOR EXCITEMENT TO SUBSIDE

The meeting of the General Commission ended at 3.50 p.m. and the first principal speaker was Britain's Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon.

Sir John said that the Conference should prepare an agreement covering, firstly, chemical warfare, secondly, budgetary publicity, and thirdly, the establishment of a Permanent Disarmament Commission.

The difficulties of disarmament, he declared, are endangering the whole system of co-operative effort for peace and progress.

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Mr. E. C. Fincher, the well-known Interport cricketer, and his bride, Miss Marie Kacker, leaving St. Andrew's Church yesterday after their wedding. (Photo: Ming Yuen.)



DETENTION OF SOLDIER

PRIVATE IN THE BORDERERS

NO CHARGE YET MADE

C.I.D. investigations into the murder of Mohammed Din, a special police guard, whose body was found in a nullah on Bowen Road just over a week ago, with a bullet-wound through the head, have resulted in the detention of a private of the South Wales Borderers.

It will be recalled that the discovery of the body was made by a party of men from the South Wales Borderers when they were walking along Bowen Road on Tuesday of last week. There was a bullet-wound in the back of the Indian's head, and the man's revolver holster was open and the weapon missing.

It is understood that several men of the Borderers have been questioned by the police in the course of the investigations into the crime, but that no charge has been made against any of them.

NO CHARGE MADE.

The man now placed under detention has not been charged, and police officials state that until enquiries have been pursued further, it is not possible to say whether he will be.

A day or two ago, the police offered a reward of \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers.

REMARKABLE SPEED IN MOTOR RACE

Over 100 M.P.H. Over 500-Mile Course

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Indianapolis, May 30. Bill Cummings, well-known American racing driver, won the Memorial Day motor race classic, completing the 500-mile course in four hours, 46 minutes, 25.21 seconds.

His average speed was 104.86 miles an hour. This established a new record for the track.

Maurie Rose was second, Lou Moore third, Deacon Litz fourth, Joe Russo fifth, and Al Miller sixth.—United Press.

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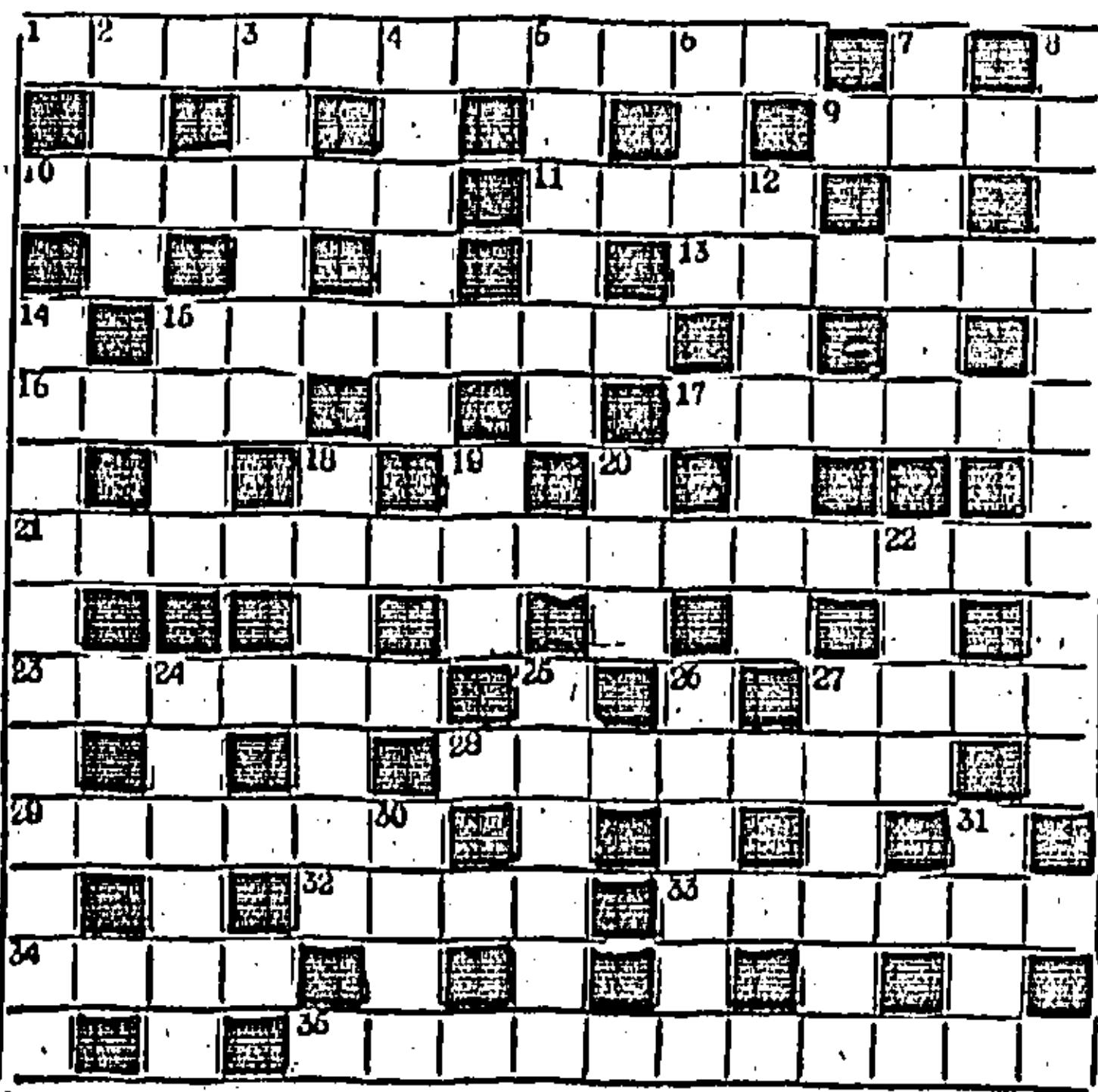
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 - Pungent.
 - Shudder.
 - Consumes soup, sir (anag.).
 - Rot.
 - Renewed with a fine colour.
 - Sometimes worn by a belle, and in the heart of the beau.
 - She's always taking down her employer.
 - Cupid returns aggrieved.
 - To lisp is essential to this Shakespearean character.
 - Disposes.
 - "With ivy canopied, and inter-wove with flauting" (Milton, "Comus").
- Down**
- Headgear.
 - Pleasing as a clue.
 - Hall of the lounge is cut off.
 - Woolly: rope if one wants a change.
 - Widowke.
 - Enraged.
 - There's "no security, D." in rural districts (anag.).
 - May be stated as a condition.

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OBITUARY

YOUNG PORTUGUESE LADY PASSES AWAY

One of the popular members of the younger set of the local Portuguese passed away at her residence, No. 44 Salisbury Avenue, Kowloon, on Tuesday, in the person of Miss Aurea Angela dos Remedios, at the early age of 19 years. She had been ailing for the past two months and died from pernicious anaemia.

Decedent, who was a daughter of Mr. J. C. dos Remedios, one of the oldest members of the staff of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, and the late Mrs. dos Remedios, who is popular in a large circle of friends. She was well-known in the field of amateur theatricals and was formerly a teacher at the St. Mary's School (Italian Convent Branch) Kowloon. She was also a member of the Association of the Children of Mary and of the Ladies' Section of the Club de Recreio.

She is survived by her father,

two sisters, Mases Dalin and Chile Remedios, and three brothers,

Mesas, Hector, Hugo and Leo Remedios. The last named is a Reverend Brother at the La Salle Brothers' College, Penang, and came to Hongkong on a visit only a short while ago. Much sympathy will be extended to them.

The Funeral.

The funeral took place at the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy

Valley, yesterday evening, there being a large gathering of friends and relatives at the graveside. The last rites were conducted by the Rev. Father L. M. Rossi, following a service in the Chapel. The chief mourners were the deceased's father and two brothers, Hector and Hugo.

Preceding the cortège from the Monument to the cemetery, there walked a procession of pupils of St. Mary's School, with their teachers, and also members of the Sodality of the Children of Mary. Family wreaths included those from "Sorrowing Dad," "Dalin and Chile," "Hector and Hugo," Carmen, Marie and Terry, Teresa Sanchez, Ina Carvalho, Gussy, Connie and Joseph Pereira, Marie Geraldine Roza, and Marie Figueredo, Tutti and Cecilia Noronha, Ethel Lopes, Freidle, Lily and Lucy Sanchez.

Other wreaths were sent by Mr. and Mrs. Anulphy, Mrs. L. S. J. S. Britto, and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gnan, and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. da Luz, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Maxwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Ozorio and Edith, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. S. Ozorio, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pereira, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Barnes de Plima, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rozario, E. E. d'Encarnacao Remedios and family, Mrs. Maria Dolores Rozario and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. V. Ribeiro and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Salvard-Remedios and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Rozario, Mr. and Mrs. Julio Ribeiro and family,

and others.

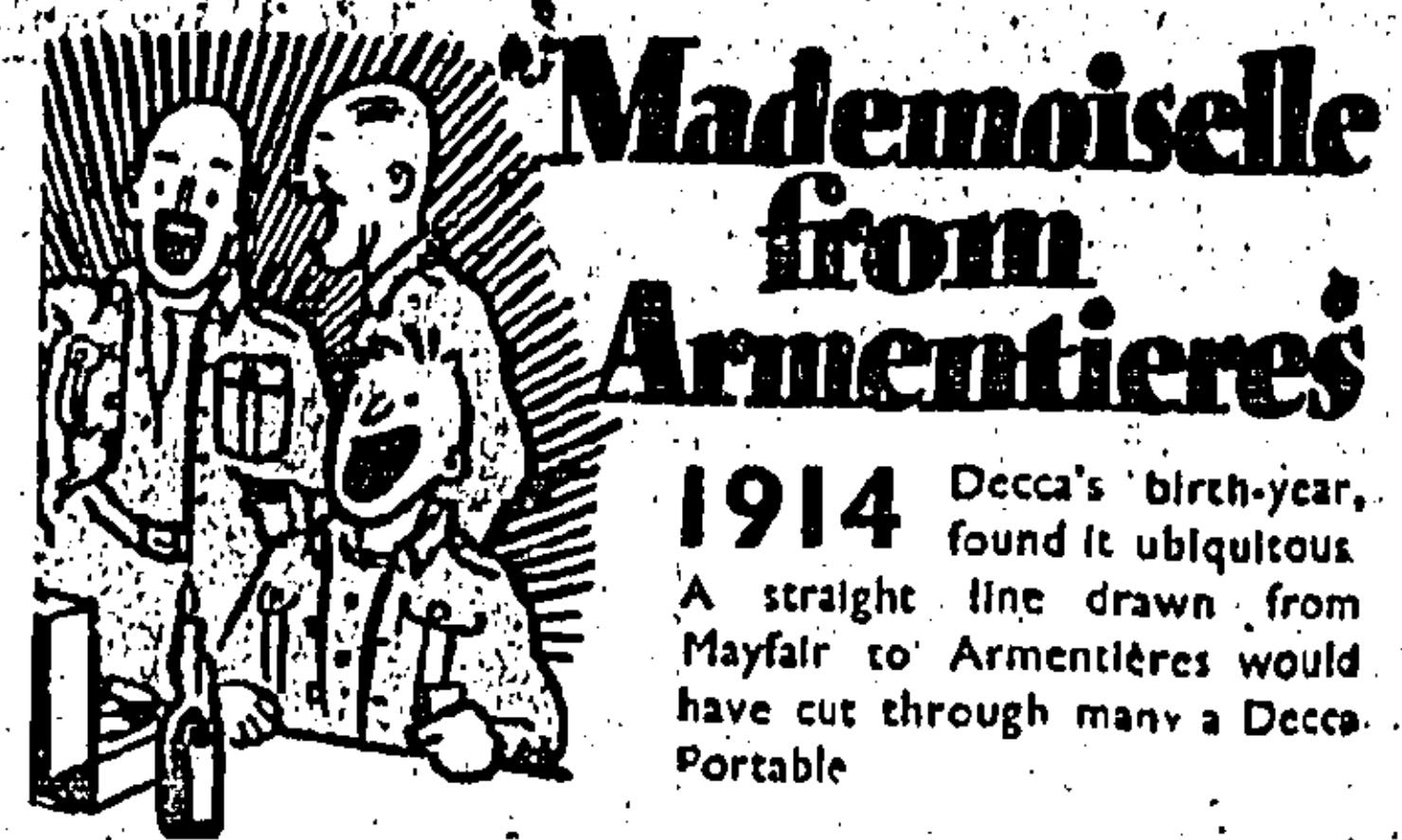
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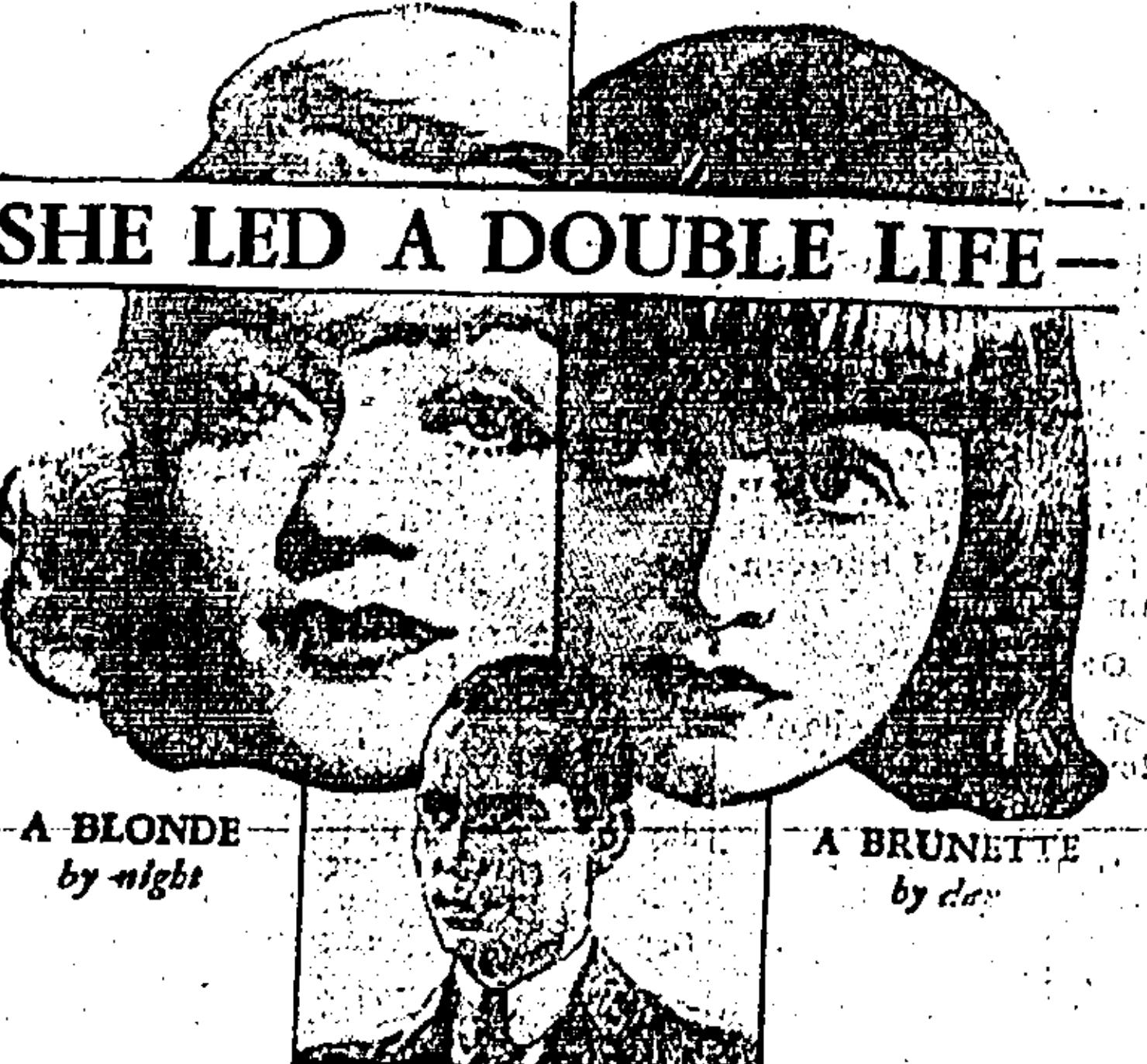
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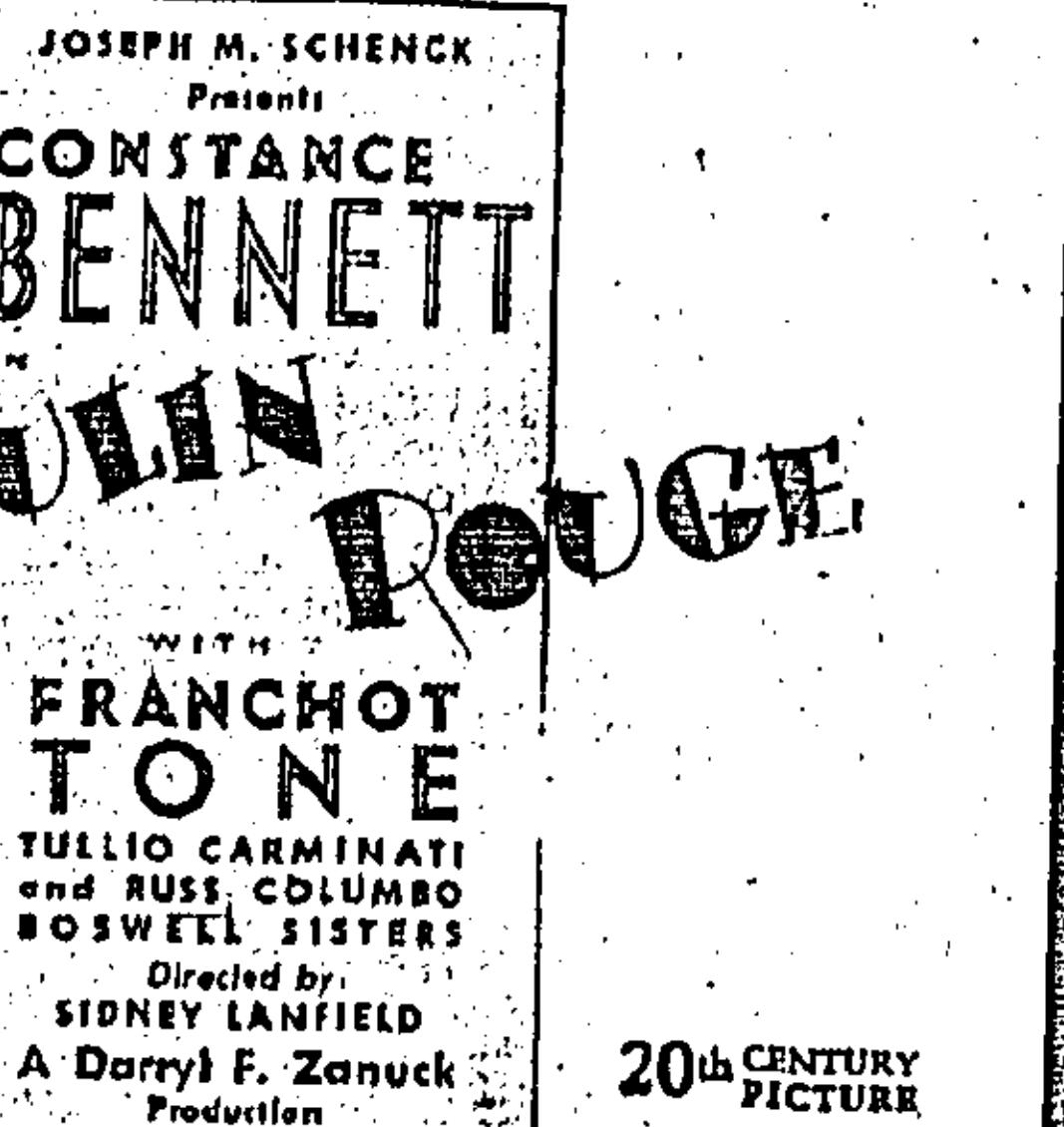
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BEGIN HERE TO-DAY.

GUDY MORELL and **TOM WEAVER** are married the same day as **LILA HOTALING** and **DEREK HILDE**. Lila expects to live in luxury, while Gypsy intends to go on with her mother in an settlement school.

After recovering from her illness in Europe Lila invites the Weavers to dinner. Among the guests is wealthy **MARCO MILTON**, who comes naked. Gypsy tries to marry him. He showers her with attentions which she accepts because she is jealous of Tom's interest in **HILDA BLANCHARD**. After dinner Tom and Gypsy quarrel, but peace is later restored.

Shopping for Christmas, Gypsy meets Broughton who offers her job cataloguing his books. She accepts, then learns he is planning to use the money that earned her an advance payment of \$50.

CHAPTER XIII.

Tom stared at the box he held in his hand. "But, darling, it's magnificent! How did you ever . . ." Then he remembered. He was not just any husband, worrying about bills. He was Gypsy's Tom and this was Christmas Day, when anything might happen. Just the same, the platinum watch rather worried him. Gypsy must have gone deeply into debt to buy it. What an adorable thing she was!

Gypsy's heart was going very fast. She stared at him with round eyes. "You mustn't ask questions, dearest, on Christmas Day."

He kissed her, penitent and abashed, his heart fairly swelling with love for her.

Gypsy opened all her packages. Little squeals of delight greeted the scent, the gloves, the flowers. She put the book under her pillow and the candy on the coffee table. She said, and truly, that she loved

it all . . . she loved everything, and he was a smart boy to remember her likes so well.

Then they had breakfast. Gypsy's woolly rose dressing gown was belted about her slim figure. Her curls were tossed, and her eyes bright. Their first Christmas together was being a great success. She had even set up a tiny tree in a corner of the living room (Derek had been right!). Later they would go to mid-day dinner at her mother's house. Tom had brought the car into the city the previous week-end, so that their bundles might be transported in comfort.

Under her happiness she felt the tiniest prick of compunction for deploving Tom. The temptation to take Marko's money had been too great for her to resist.

After all, she argued to herself, it wasn't a gift—or even a loan. It was payment, for value received. At least, in the near future she would meticulously render Marko her careful services in his library.

Why, then, did she feel guilty? Because she knew in her heart that Tom would not approve? It must be that. However, she wasn't going to let the thought spoil her happy holiday. Everything would come out all right. Tom need never know about the pact, or if he did, later, it could all be satisfactorily explained.

They drove off, just after noon, in the little car, the rumble seat crammed with gaily wrapped bundles. Gypsy snuggled close to Tom's side. What fun Christmas was! It had a special, a different flavour from any other day in the year.

There was turkey. There was cranberry sauce. There was plum pudding. The old house wore wreaths in all its windows. The hall smelled of fir boughs and fruit cake and candle-wax. Mrs. Morell had her hair waved; there was a flush in her thin cheeks.

"Dear children! No, you're not late—Clytie was just basting the bird. Daddy's down at the furnace. He'll be upstairs in a minute. You run up and lay your things off. In my room, Gypsy. Cousin Lou is in yours and I don't believe she's dressed yet."

Cousin Lou was a spare, smiling, middle-aged woman from Asbury Park, always included in the Christmas group. Mr. Morell looked around the table with a swelling sense of life's goodness. A man had his share of burdens and worries—often he didn't know how he was going to make both ends meet—and then Christmas

came along, and he was thankful just to have his dear ones gathered around him. There was Gypsy and that nice boy she'd married.

Gypsy was all right. He didn't have to worry about her. A couple of years back, he hadn't quite known . . . Gypsy had been going places with that oldish, rich man. He and Mother hadn't liked the idea. But then the thing had straightened itself out. All his worry had been for nothing. Gypsy had fallen in love. Now she was starting life as he and Mother had.

There wasn't much money, of course, but the boy was young and clean and ambitious. Gypsy was taken care of.

No one would have known, watching his lined and prosaic countenance, as he sliced meat and spooned dressing, that such thoughts were his. "Some of the white meat, Bertram? I guess he thinks the second joint is choicer."

The old white china, with its gilt bands, the deep blue glasses, the rose wreathed plates for the pudding—all, all were in their accustomed places. This was Christmas, with all the good old things as they had ever been. Morell had eaten from this china 100 years ago, thought the father gravely, and would 100 years from now, please God!

Clytie rolled in with fresh plates, rolled out again with laden ones. She was brave in a stiff new uniform to-day. Her crinkly hair had been "straightened" for the occasion.

Gypsy was cracking walnuts for Cousin Lou. Across the table, the girl twin squeaked joyously at some joke of Tom's. Gypsy's new scent was much admired and everyone exclaimed over his or her gifts. They all felt expansive and happy. Afterward this sense of well-being would deepen into drowsiness. The younger one would go off to sleep, the older ones would steal a nap, perhaps. But at the moment all was cosiness and laughter.

Gypsy collapsed into her favourite deep chair by the fireplace, afterward.

"I didn't know I was so tired until this instant," she confessed luxuriously. "We were up until all hours. I hadn't wrapped any of my packages . . . and I had to trim the tree . . ."

Tom said he proposed a walk in half an hour or so. Did anyone want to come along? Gypsy stifled a yawn. She knew, she said, that a walk would do her worlds of good, but she wasn't going to have one. She was going to curl up on

the sunroom couch and snatch 40 winks.

So the party separated, as family parties have a way of doing. The wind outside blew colder, the early dusk fell and the lamps were lighted. In the kitchen regions Clytie chattered cheerfully away with the last pans. She would don her new purple silk presently and go off to the African church in the village. The bill that Mr. Morell had given her cracked enticingly in her purse. Clytie was thankful. She experienced the Christmas spirit.

The house quieted down. Mr. Morell dozed by the fire in the living room, his wife and Cousin Lou played checkers at a table nearby in the sunroom. Gypsy, curled up under an old Paisley shawl, tried in vain to sleep. At first she had been desperately drowsy but, once she had stretched out, she had come stark awake and her conscience had begun to prickle her anew.

What fool she'd been (she thought) to let Marko talk her into this! It would only mean keeping a secret from Tom and he'd never in the world understand it. Well, she would work out the \$50

with Marko—she would give him the very best she knew how to give in the way of labour—and then she'd not see him again. Marko's way of living was too insidiously easy for a young working wife. He made things so soft, so luxurious.

At long last she fell asleep to dream troubled and uncertain dreams in which Marko Broughton, wearing a long beard and flourishing a big stick, threatened her with dire happenings.

She woke, trembling all over with nervousness. Tom was standing over her, big and young and vital.

"What's the matter, darling? Think you see a ghost?" "Oh, I had such a dreadful dream!" He put his arms around her. "Lazybones, that's what comes of eating too much dinner and going to sleep. I've walked miles. I feel great."

She sat up, shaking the sleep out of her eyes. "Where is everybody?" "They're congregated in the

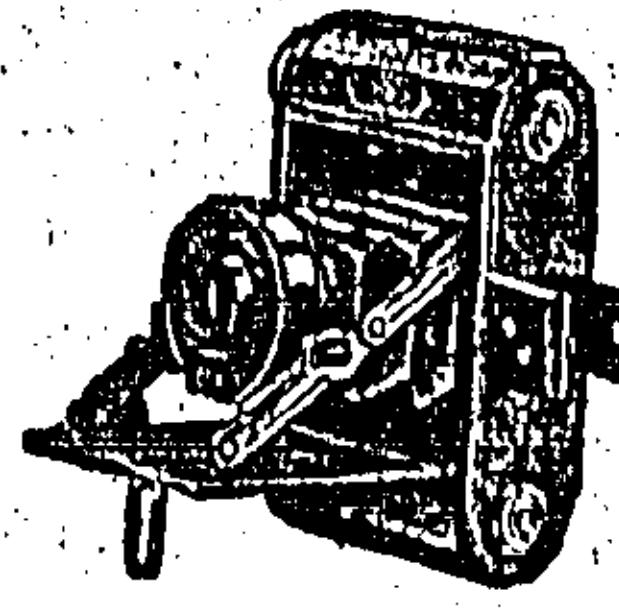
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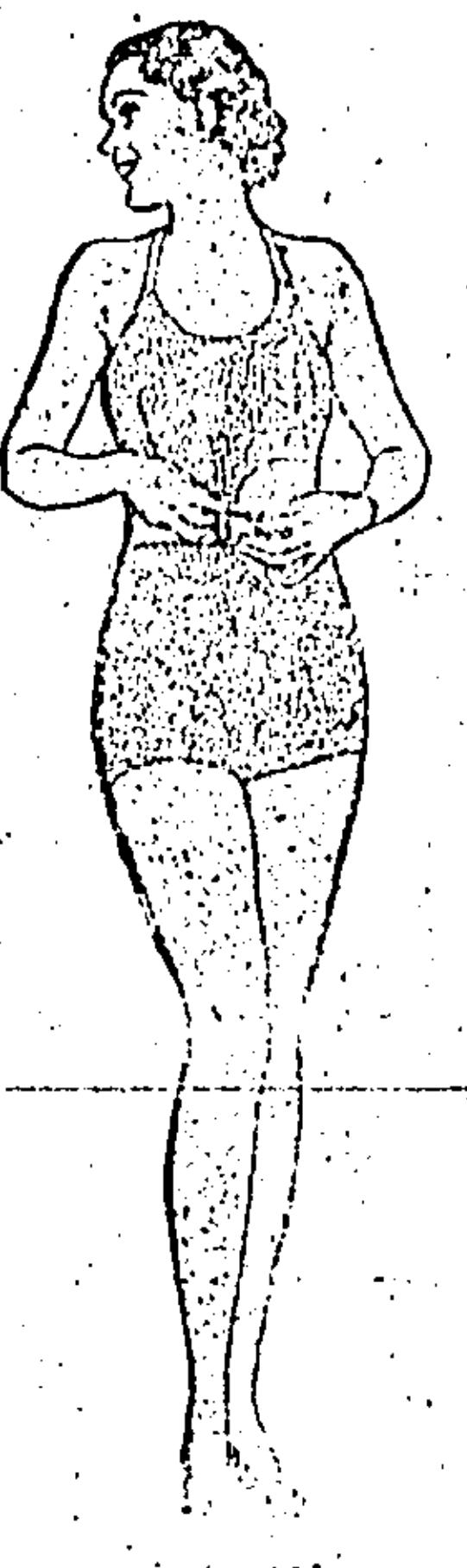
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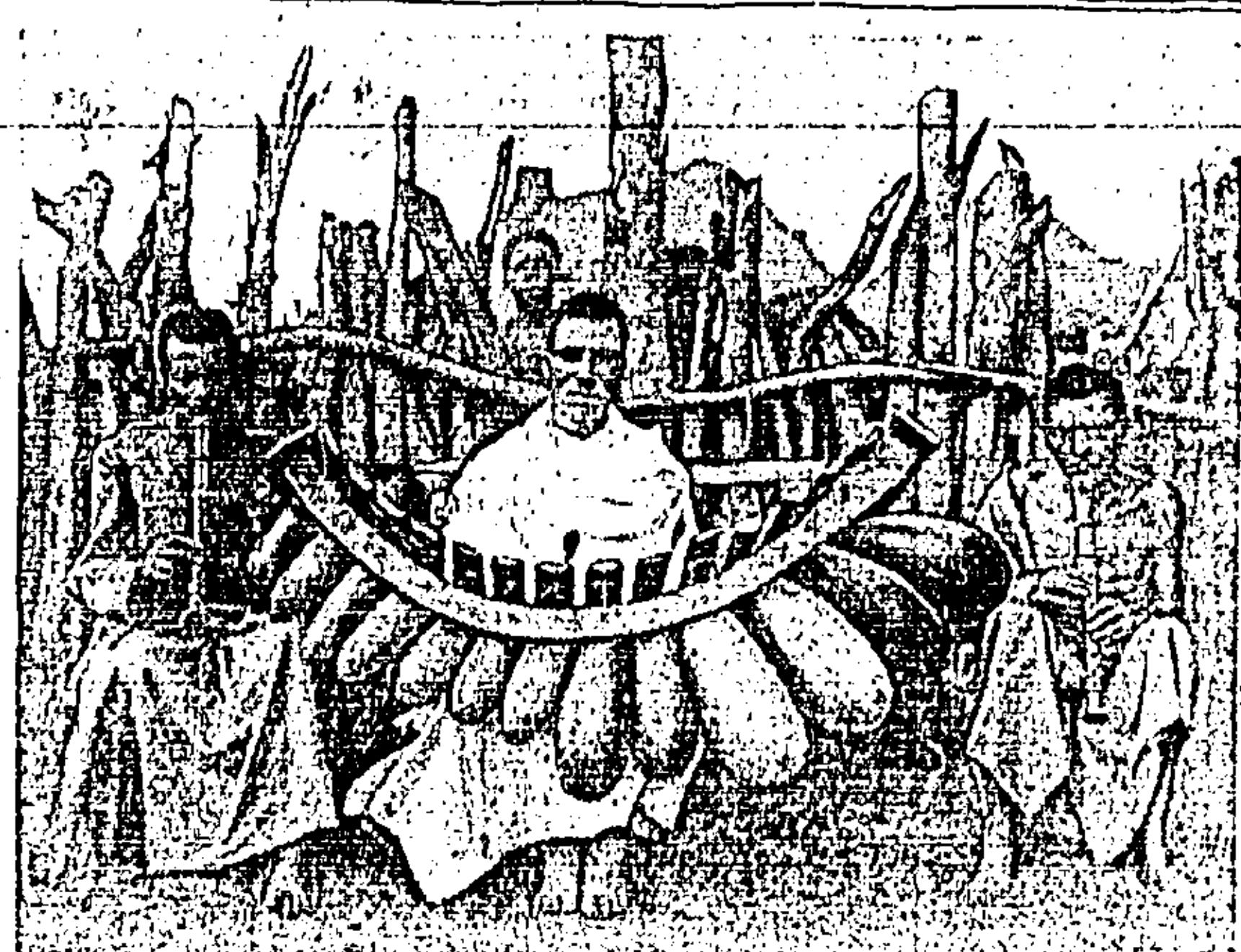
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5% Long 1912	£ 69½	£ 70
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1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 92	£ 92½
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 88	£ 88½
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 68	£ 68
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 36	£ 36
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 26½	£ 26½
5% Shai-P'chow Ningpo Rly.	£ 99	£ 99
5% Honan Rly.	£ 29	£ 28
5% Huksung Rly.	£ 19½	£ 19½
5% Lung Tsing U. Hsi Rly. 1913	£ 15½	£ 15½
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Germany 7% Int. Loan 1924	72	74½
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Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 86½	£ 87
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Distillers	90/-	89/9
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Eveready 5/- sh.	29/4½	29/4½
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Impl. Chem. Ind.	34/6	34/6
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Impl. Tobacco	120/1½	125/9
Woolworth	8/6	8/7
Internat. Nickel	\$ 26½	\$ 26
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Pinch. Johnson	38/1½	37/9
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Anglo-Dutch	24/9	24/6
Burma Corp. Rs. 10	13/3	13/3
Canadian Pacific Rly. 25 sh.	\$ 15½	\$ 15½
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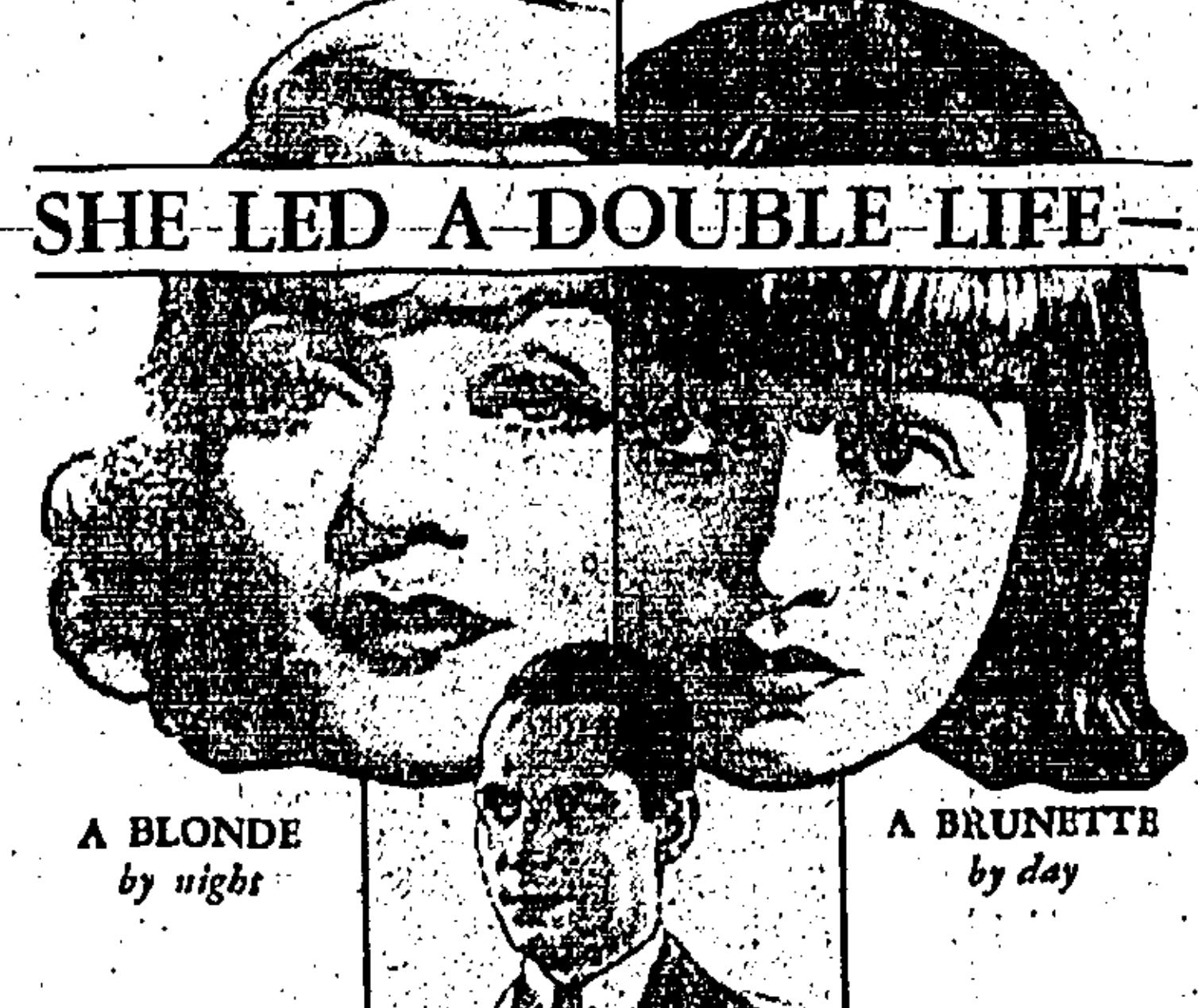
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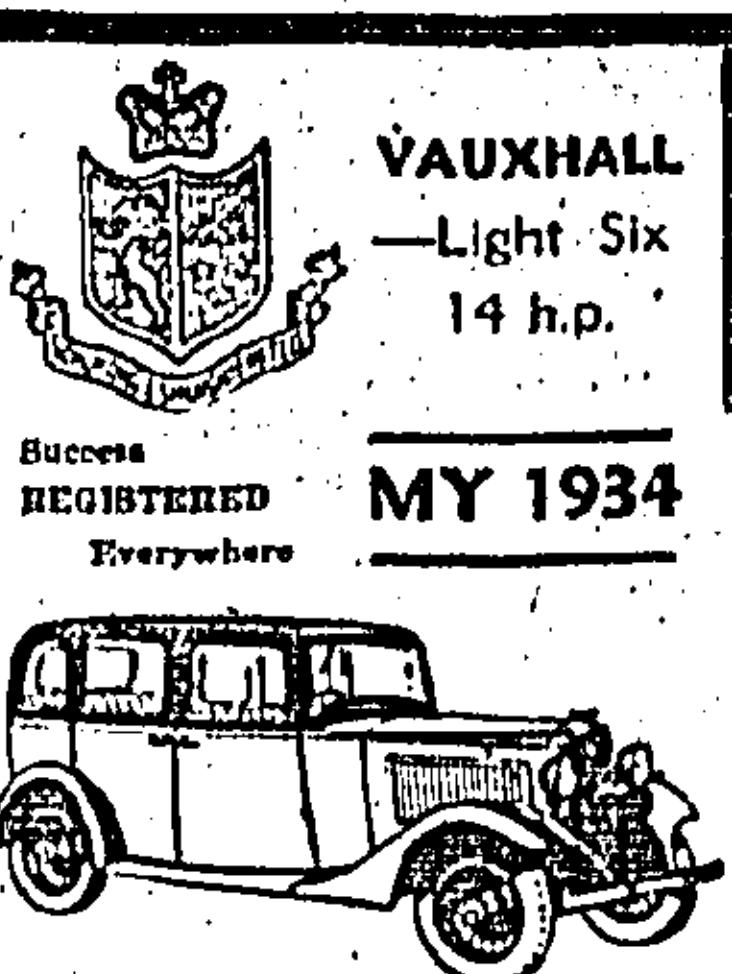
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FASCISM AROUSING DEMOCRATS

The growth of Fascist propaganda in Britain is having the effect of creating a strong counter-movement amongst those who believe that the real aim of the Black Shirts is to destroy democratic sentiment and put the process of progressive evolution out of gear. Unemployment, low standards of life, and economic hopelessness have, it is contended, prepared the ground for the Fascist creed, which is being made more attractive by the wearing of uniform by its adherents, this latter being an element in the propaganda which is considered to have a marked psychological effect on the people. Another point on which opponents of the Fascist concept lay stress is that, under the name of national reconstruction, political and economic freedom is being placed in jeopardy, with the workers' interests subordinated to capitalistic interests. So strong is the feeling against Fascism developing that efforts are now being made for a concerted movement by the working classes to combat the influences which are considered to be harmful to democratic principles. Amongst the ideas outlined in this programme is the bringing of pressure on the Government to secure a reduction in working hours and the evolving of plans for increasing the purchasing powers of the workers, coincident with bold financial schemes to prevent damage to the nation's trade. Bold, large-scale measures with a view to relieving unemployment are also advocated, these to include a comprehensive public works scheme, in which category is placed the need for construction of new arterial roads, the reinforcement of river-banks, the sinking of artesian wells, and the provision of new reservoirs in rural areas, so as to prevent recurring water shortages. At first glance, it might appear that plans such as these bear very little relation to the combatting of Fascism, but the sponsors of the movement are working on the principle that Fascism, being permeated with reactionary ideas, cannot persist in the face of a united, non-bureaucratic movement armed with definite plans for the purpose of effecting national reconstruction. The clash of ideas is most pronounced, with the full force of Trade Unionism being exerted in the effort to defeat the Fascist ambitions. There is little doubt that in the next General Election, the Fascists will make a bold bid for support, but already it is clear that organised Labour is determined to wage war on this new element in British politics.

NOTES OF THE DAY

THE DOUGLAS SCHEME

The plan for "social credits" to supplant the existing currency and banking system developed by Major Clifford Douglas, the Scottish engineer and economist, and generally referred to as the Douglas Scheme, seems to be gaining more serious attention abroad than in Britain. In Australia there are already over a thousand Douglas Credit Societies with a membership of 500,000 and New Zealand has sixteen M.P.s committed to its advocacy. It will be interesting to observe the reactions of the United States where Major Douglas is now campaigning, although it has already been indicated that the idea has received sufficient support to lead to the drafting of a plan for applying Douglas economics to the State of New Jersey.

"CONSERVATIVE LENIN"

Major Douglas is a sort of "Lenin of the conservatives," who believes that to-day's troubles are due principally to a mere technical defect in the present system of industrial economic bookkeeping, and may be remedied by a peaceful overturn of that system without disturbing private ownership or any of the rest of the system of production and social life as they are to-day—except banking and money. He believes that private production of goods is best for the world generally—that inasmuch as it has shown the ability to produce more than is required, it should be let alone. This is where he differs from Socialists, Communists, Fascists, and other lists who concentrate their panaceas on securing control of the means of production.

PILING UP DEBTS

The Douglas theory is that where the world has failed is in viewing the crisis as one of overproduction and not primarily of under-consumption. What is needed is to create credits for all consumers which will enable them to buy what is produced. The price of anything, Major Douglas contends, must always, under the present system, be A plus B—A being all wages, salaries, and dividends, and B being banking charges, taxes, raw materials, overhead. Both go into the price of goods. But since only the A part is consumer purchasing power, A can never equal A plus B, and the difference must continually be made up by money credited by banks, borrowed from banks, and bearing interest. Thus continually increasing debt structure is created, and the lag between consumer purchasing power and cost of goods grows wider.

JUST PRICE

Major Douglas proceeds to argue that the remedy is to calculate the value of goods produced, and taking the power to issue money and credit from private hands, to issue national credit directly to consumers in proportion to the amount of goods produced, which is the real wealth of any community. This implies the establishment of what has been termed The Just Price. Buyers, on taking their credits (in the form of a new kind of money) to a store, would pay for goods a Just Price, which would be below apparent fixed cost, but at a true cost fixed by a calculation of the percentage by which production exceeds consumption. It might be thought that retailers would lose by such a "consumer discount," but this is not so. The seller turns in an account of his "loss" and is reimbursed from a National Credit Account. Thus production and consumption are balanced, everyone shares in the "national dividend" of consumer power, and the problem of the world is solved without confiscation, expropriation, nationalisation of banks, class war, or political revolution.

GREAT ECONOMIST

Major Douglas is a stocky, ruddy, well-groomed English squire type. He was an engineer rather than an economist, and was with Westinghouse in India prior to the war. At that time he returned to England to become assistant superintendent of a Government aircraft factory and was impressed by the idea that England emerged from the war "poor". Having seen her productive plant increase greatly during the war years, he felt that she was really "richer" than before. Directly after the war he began writing on economics, and some of his followers now claim that he is one of the three great economists, ranking them as Adam Smith for capitalism, Karl Marx for communism, and Major Douglas for economic democracy.

CHINA SCORNS REVENGE IDEAS

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS

CHINA would join neither side in event of war between Russia and Japan.

So Dr. Wang Ching-wei, president of the Executive Yuan and virtual Prime Minister, told me, in an exclusive interview at the foreign office in Nanking.

After Japan's seizure of four of China's richest provinces, her attack on Shanghai, and her hegemony threat against all China, the world has generally believed that China would jump at the chance to help any country defeat Nippon.

That would seem to be her only chance.

Somewhat surprised, I asked Mr. Wang why.

"China," he replied in a low voice, "stands to lose in such a war, no matter which side wins."

Here was one of the most solemn warnings the world has had since President Woodrow Wilson told the peacemakers at Paris that only a world leagued together to insure peace could save humanity from suicide.

I broke the spell.

"So China does not expect to participate in a Far Eastern war to get back Manchuria," I said.

"No," China's philosopher-statesman replied. "She lacks the statesmanship. It would not improve her position."

"Besides, Manchuria has not been taken from China. It is merely occupied by a foreign foe. Sooner or later the military occupation will end and everything will be as it was before."

FIRM AGAINST RECOGNITION

"There are rumours," I remarked, "that China will eventually recognize Manchukuo. That would put an entirely new face on the recognition problem for the other nations."

"China will never recognise the new status in Manchuria," replied Dr. Wang. Henry Pu Yi in his swallow-tail coat as regent, or Henry Pu Yi in his Dragon Robes as emperor, is all the same to China. He is still a traitor.

"When the military power that now sustains this puppet show falls in Manchuria, the puppets will fall with it."

Mr. Wang Ching-wei is one of modern China's finest brains. He is 51 years old, but looks almost 20 years younger. He could easily be in his middle thirties.

But only time could make his voice as mellow as it is, and only a tremendous amount of thinking could give it its tone.

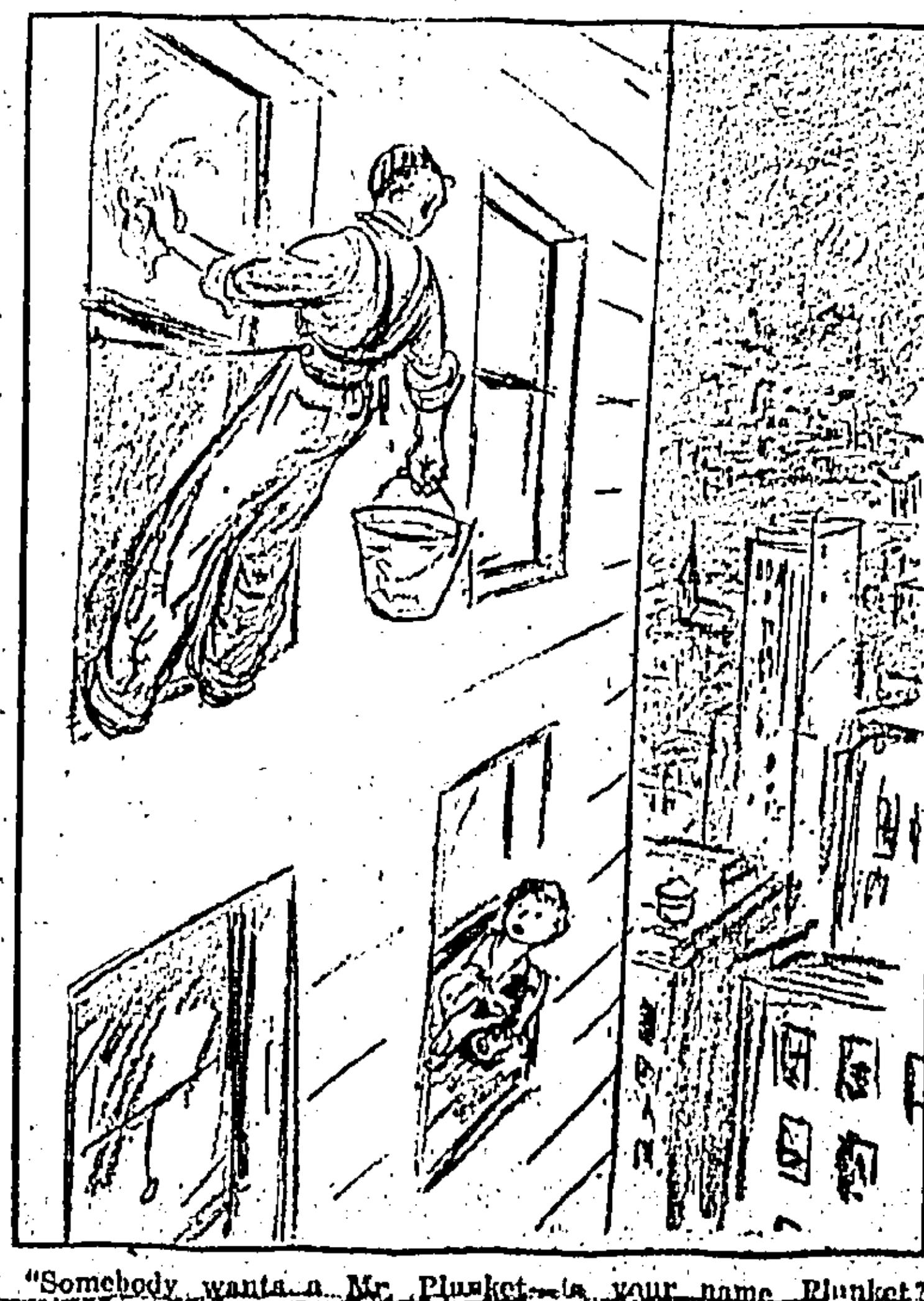
What he said about Manchuria, I have since heard repeated in high places many times over. The Chinese have a tremendously calm way of looking at their country's plight.

Most of them admit things will probably get worse before they get better, but, as the Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Hsu Mo expressed it to me, in perfect English:

"But what I do foresee is that, should it come, the world would face such a frightful situation afterwards—regardless of which side won—that it would be obliged to act, if only to save itself. And to save itself, it would, of necessity,

most of them admit things will probably get worse before they get better, but, as the Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Hsu Mo expressed it to me, in perfect English:

"Yet, I somehow have the utmost confidence that, in the end, China cannot lose."



"Somebody wants Mr. Plunket to leave home, Mr. Plunket."

The Very Idea!

NECK OR NOTHING

By George

LATEST reports indicate that the nudist movement is doing as well as can be expected.

It is naturally one of those movements that outstrip all others with the bare exception of the opposition who are going for them bald-headed.



With the hot approach of the sun, the nudist's thoughts naturally turn to just how rude he and she can be this season.

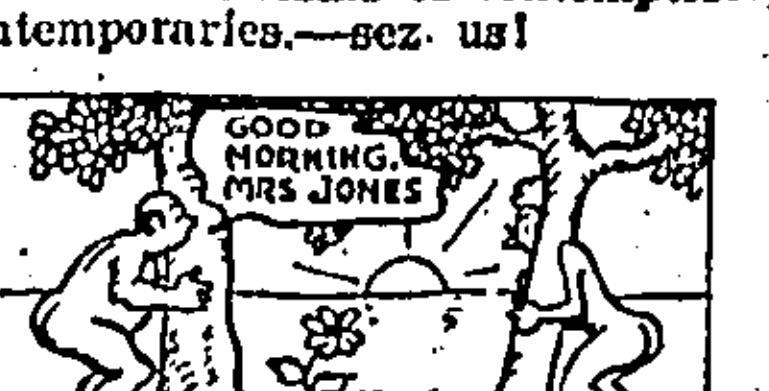
When summer comes my thoughts obtrude
On fusing nature in the nude.
(Oh, blushing one!)
But when it comes to facing others

Slates and perhaps their brothers
I must confess I'm fearful.
For though by faith I'm not a prude
There are some people think it's rude
(Oh, blushing one!)
To dress like anybody's lovers
With modesty our only cover
And that a modest hairfull!

Struggling along with not a rag to their backs, the movement is yet making good—though what, still remains to be seen. The nudists protest that there is nothing more obscene to doubt them but we are still inclined to think there is more in the movement than meets the eye.

When so many narrow-minded, harping-carping, slouting-doubting and other critics are bent on crushing this little flower in its bud it is up to us to put our foot down, not forgetting to look before we leap.

It is a shameful indictment of modern civilisation that while purity and virtue in the most innocent and natural forms which a lawless love of the body can produce should be struggling upward through the murky grimness of a twisted and perverted sense of convention and stilted Victorianism, subjected to the immature and ignorant criticisms of contemporaries.—see us!



When he and she went walking out,
Twas in the altogether,
He said: There's romance in the air,
She said: It's lovely weather,
Oh, Mr. Lane, I see a park,
Do let's go sit together.

And when upon a stone he sat
She said: Now don't get sore;
A little inconvenience
Makes Nature in the raw,
And walking in the streets these days,
For nudes, is such a bore.

So Mr. Lane, despite the pain,
Sat down to admire the vista,
And very soon, the tender coon,
Was sitting on a blister,
Quoth he: I must vacate my seat

I feel that it is scarcely meet,
To stay here, Little Sister.

When he and she went limping back
(Plus one embarrassing blister),
Believe it or believe it not,
He hadn't even kissed her,
And when she said: It's getting dark,
I've left my hanky in the park,"

Old Laney stroked his whisker.
And said: My dear, I really think
The time has come to talk
Of things apart from cats and kings
And going for a walk.
Now wipe your nose upon a rose
And be a good little nudist
For we must be home by six o'clock
See you my dear Bridget.

M. BARTHOU AND SIR JOHN SIMON IN QUARREL

(Continued from Page 1.)

lead the conference back to the Anglo-French-American agreement of October, 1933, barring German rearmament.

M. Barthou quoted Sir John Simon's previous declarations against permitting German rearmament and then ironically cited the British Minister's speech today in favour of a return to the British January Memorandum permitting Germany moderate rearmament.

The Commission adjourned until Friday, probably to allow the settlement of the Simon-Barthou clash to subside.—*United Press*.

SIR JOHN SIMON'S SPEECH

The Franco-German Differences

The prospects of the Diamant Conference were frankly reviewed by Sir John Simon in the course of his speech expressing the views of British Government on the situation.

If the speeches in debate were to be useful they must, he said, deal with the realities that now faced them and he proceeded to address himself to some of them, recalling that during the last six months, since the work of the Conference was adjourned to permit of parallel and supplementary efforts being carried on, the British Government have been very closely associated with these efforts.

He referred, in particular, to the United Kingdom Memorandum of January 29th, and the statement, textually approved by the German Government, which Britain obtained, of modifications in the memorandum which Germany was prepared to accept and which included a concession to heavily-armed powers that there should be no disarmament for first five years of a ten years' convention.

NO PROGRESS.

He was grateful for what Mr. Norman Davis had said as to the value of these efforts but they had not produced a new basis of agreement and as the President pointed out on Monday: "In view of the opinion expressed in the French memorandum of April 17th, it seemed that diplomatic negotiations between the powers could hardly be carried on any further."

Dealing with the circumstances in which these diplomatic negotiations were entered upon Sir John Simon recalled that, in November, the conference found itself unable to proceed to a second reading of the draft convention—with any solid hope of thereby reaching a universal agreement.

Germany was absent and some method had to be found to keep her in touch in the hope of bringing her back within the ambit of discussion and negotiation, with a view to an ultimate agreement. For an international agreement about armaments necessarily involved amongst other things, that Germany should be a party to it.

DIFFERENT VIEWS.

The French Government, in memorandum of March 19th, expressed concurrence with the phrase in the previous United Kingdom memorandum that the reconciliation of the points of view of France and Germany was an essential condition of a general agreement.

What, he asked, were the essential differences which divided these two points of view as they emerged from the documents exchanged between the various powers?

In its statement of views of April 16th, the German Government defined the rearmament for which it stipulated in the proposed convention at the same time declaring that it would agree to a postponement of the reduction of the armaments of other powers until the end of the fifth year of a ten years' convention.

GERMANY'S CLAIM.

If, therefore, an international agreement was to be reached, either their claim must be modified or conceded. If they really desired to do business in the conference it was essential that this issue should be faced and dealt with by those principally concerned.

Germany claimed that the convention, if it followed the general lines already approved by the vote of General Commission, should accept a level of German armament higher than that provided in the peace treaties to the extent indicated in the document of April 16th.

FRENCH STAND.

On the other hand, it appeared from the discussions that France would desire to stand fast by the States-British Wilsons—*Reuter*.

MR. OLIVER AUSTIN

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC IN BOURNEMOUTH

SUCCEEDING SIR DAN GODFREY

The many friends of Mr. Frank Austin, Hongkong manager of Messrs. S. J. David and Co., will be pleased to learn that his nephew, Mr. Richard Dennis Oliver Austin, has been appointed Director of Music to the Bournemouth Corporation, in succession to Sir Dan Godfrey.

The appointment, which takes effect from October 1, carries with it a commencing salary of £1,000 a year.

Mr. Austin, who is 31, is at present conductor at the London Coliseum. He studied at the Royal College of Music, and in 1928 was musical director of the Bristol Orchestra, and subsequently conductor of the Bristol Symphony Orchestra. The Christmas production of *Hansel and Gretel* at the Cambridge Theatre was also conducted by him. His father is Mr. Frederick Austin, the well-known singer, composer, and operatic director.

Sir Dan Godfrey, who will retire at the end of September, has been associated with the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra for over 40 years. Starting with a small military band in 1893, he fostered interest in music in Bournemouth until he was ultimately able to build up a symphony orchestra which has made Bournemouth the chief centre of musical activity on the South Coast.

One case of small-pox and three cases of meningitis were reported to the health authorities on Tuesday.

limits suggested at the meeting of the Bureau on October 14th last, with the modification contained in the French memorandum of January 1st.

Suggestions made in October propounded a basis which would have admitted of no immediate rearmament of Germany other than an increase in quantities proportionate to a gradual transformation of the Reichswehr and the arms which she was, by treaty, entitled to possess.

Germany had rejected that suggestion and the contrast between that proposal and the formulated requirements of Germany of April 16th was obvious.

Were those suggestions, in the present circumstances, a possible basis of an international agreement?

The Conference would make no progress by avoiding or burying these crucial points beneath mere general observations.

BRIDGE BUILDERS.

His Majesty's Government had done their very best to be bridge builders.

By end of this general debate they ought to see more clearly where the foundations for such a bridge must be laid if the gap was to be closed. They could see already how overwhelmingly grave the consequences must be if, after all this effort and these prolonged debates, no bridge could be built.

In the opinion of the British Government, the draft convention which the conference had adopted as the basis still afforded the best solution. Realising, however, the serious consequences of failure to reach an agreement they determined to formulate the modifications which found expression in the memorandum of 29th January.

It contained proposals regarded not as ideal but as most likely of acceptance. The close approximation between that memorandum and the German declaration showed that the differences were being narrowed.

CONCRETE PROPOSAL.

The British Government felt that the line of that memorandum was more likely to produce an agreement than any other concrete proposal.

His Majesty's Government were strengthened by the most interesting memorandum put forward by the Danish, Spanish, Norwegian, Swedish and Swiss delegations, the main conclusions of which seemed to be in close accord with those of the United Kingdom memorandum.

It was true that in the view of these powers, security should go beyond the proposals of United Kingdom memorandum. That was question not of principle but of degree, and he pointed out that Part One of the United Kingdom draft convention dealt with security among lines on which they might hope for the sympathy and the co-operation of the United

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.

H.K. Banks, \$1867½ n.
H.K. Bank (London), £131 n.
Chartered Bank, £16 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £28 n.
Asia Bank, \$93 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp. Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$6 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$300 n.
Union Ins., \$582½ n.
China Underwriters, \$1¼ n.
China Fire, \$510 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.
International Assce., \$6 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$41 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$9 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.), \$30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$83 n.
Shells (Bearer), 48½ n.
Union Waterboats, \$11.10 n.

Mining.

Antamoka, 69 cts. b.
Balatoco, \$33½ n.
Baguio Gold, 33 cts. b.
Benguet, \$32½ n.
Benguet Exploration, 18 cts. b.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12½ cts. n.
Gold Creek \$3½ n.
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.
Itogons, \$7 n.
Kallan, 21/3 n.
Langkawi (Single), \$18½ n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$4.80 n.
S'hai Loans, \$534 n.
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$104½ b.
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (new), \$1.90 sa.
Providents (new), 75 cts. n.
Hongkew, Sh. \$350 n.
New Enginings, Sh. \$5.20 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$133 n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$10.90 n.
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$75 n.
Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$43 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. \$13½ n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$55 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6 b.
H.K. Lunds, \$60½ n.
Shai Lunds, Sh. \$25 n.
Metropolitan Lunds, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$11.20 n.
H. K. Realties, \$6 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. \$140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.
China Realties, Su. \$15½ n.
China Debuture, Sh. \$137 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramway, \$21.20 b.
Peak Trams (old), \$15½ s.
Peak Trams (new), \$7½ n.
Star Ferries (old), \$100 n.
Yau Ma Tei Ferries, \$22½ n.
C. Lights (old), \$8.80 b.
C. Lights (new), \$834 n.
H.K. Electrics, \$73½ n.
Macao Electrics, \$25 b.
Sandakan Light, \$8 n.
Telephones (old), \$25 n.
Telephones (new), \$12.60 n.
China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.
Singapore Tractions, 5½ n.
Singapore Pref., 16/10½ n.

Industrial.

Malibon Sugars, \$12 s.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$19½ n.
Canton Ices, \$270 n.
Cements (new), \$2.60 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$5½ s.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$26½ s.
Watsons, \$6½ n.
Dent A. Wings, \$1 b.
Lane Crawford, \$4 b.
Mackintosh, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$9½ s.
Wm. Powells, 80 cts. s.
Wing On (H.K.), \$120 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$4 n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$7½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$1½ n.
United Theatres, \$12 n.
Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n.
Constructions (old), \$1.60 b.
Constructions (new), 70 cts. b.
Ch. Govt, 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds
87½ n.
H.K. Govt, Long 8½ b. prem
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.

GHASTLY MURDER.

VICTIM OF INTRIGUES OF TIBETANS

Simla, May 30.

The gruesome murder of Lungshar, former commander-in-chief of the Tibetan army, is reported from Lhasa.

The man's eyes were first put out and he was then put to death by torture.

Lungshar enjoyed the confidence of the late Dalai Lama, and the murder is apparently a result of intrigues on the part of a new party which is gaining power in Tibetan politics.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Moulin Rouge," the romantic musical, starring Constance Bennett in her first appearance for Joseph M. Schenck and Darryl Zanuck's 20th Century Pictures, a United Artists release, comes on Sunday for simultaneous showings at the Alhambra and World Theatres. Its story, based on a French stage success of the same name will serve to introduce Miss Bennett in her first dual role, and as a singer of songs especially written for her by Harry Warren and Russ Brown, who composed the memorable hits "42nd Street," "Gold Diggers of 1933" and "Roman Scandals." Surrounding her is a cast which includes French Tone; Tullio Carminati, stage star of "Strictly Dishonorable"; Helen Westley, one of the founders of the New York Theatre Guild and a star in many of its productions; Andrew Tombes and Russ Brown, comedians in numerous New York stage shows. The Boswell Sisters and Russ Columbo, famous radio stars are another attraction of the film. Sam Landis, who directed "Society Girl" and "Dance Team," directed "Moulin Rouge." Miss Bennett portrays both the stage-struck wife of a play-write and Raquel, a gifted but notorious French music hall artiste. The plot has to do with the efforts of Helen to convince her husband that she should make a career rather than make a home for him. It accumulates complications which include the situation of the husband minkling gallant love to her while thinking she is Raquel, and so putting himself in jeopardy of a divorce suit. The story gathers considerable dramatic momentum and teeters at all times between comedy and romance. Its action, for the most part, takes place backstage of an important New York venue and in the Park Avenue penthouse of the actress Raquel. Miss Bennett introduces two songs "Coffee in the Morning and Kisses in the Night" and "Boulevard of Broken Dreams." Tullio Carminati sings "Song of Surrender." Chorines trained in intricate modernistic dance routines by Russell Markert, who originated the Roxettes in Radio City Music Hall, appear recurrently in numbers keyed to the underlying rhythm of the picture. The picture was produced on an exceedingly lavish scale, and marks Miss Bennett's debut in Musicals.

"The Girl in 419"

Motion picture stories are often suggested by newspaper headlines. But B. P. Schulberg, leading producer, has enjoyed the experience of seeing newspaper headlines paralleling a motion picture. The picture is "The Girl in 419," romantic drama which comes to the King's Theatre on Friday, with James Dunn and Gloria Stuart in leading roles. The film centres around a girl, brought into an emergency hospital badly beaten and unconscious and saved by the head of the hospital, who is intrigued by her beauty. When she recovers, she begins to walk out of the hospital and pleads for protection. Schulberg, reading the newspapers one night when "The Girl in 419" was nearing completion, found an item telling practically the same story. A gangster's girl, thrown out of a speeding car, was taken to a hospital, recovered consciousness, and begged the authorities not to release her when she was well again. It meant her life. Schulberg was amazed by the similarity of his bit of fiction and this bit of fact; attributed it solely to coincidence.

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"Headline Shooter."

Thrills run rampant and romance progresses at a mile-a-minute pace in "Headline Shooter," RKO-Radio Pictures' realistic melodrama of a during-rehearsal cameraman, which is now showing at the Central Theatre with William Gargan and Frances Dee holding a commendable cast. The film moves at a breakneck speed embracing some of the most remarkable action shots ever caught by the camera. Spectacular episodes during an earthquake, a disastrous fire and a great flood highlights the story. William Gargan makes a deserved bid for starring honours with his excellent performance of the newsreel cameraman in "Headline Shooter". Frances Dee scores mightily as the newspaper girl and Ralph Bellamy as Hal Cald-

well.

"This Side of Heaven"

At last, an average American family has been immortalized in a motion Picture production in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film, "This Side of Heaven," which is showing at the Alhambra Theatre. The picture tells the story of a typical middle-class family, whose heartaches, tragedies, romances and aspirations clash almost simultaneously. As the nucleus of the family, Lloyd Barrymore comes through again with one of his masterful performances. At a time when his family are facing their greatest crisis, Barrymore becomes involved innocently in an embroilment at his office. He attempts to solve it but is saved by the concerted efforts of his family. A new face to the screen, but one of the best loved actresses of the stage, Fay Bainter makes her debut in the picture as Barrymore's wife who has succeeded in selling a novel to a motion picture producer. Mae Clarke, who can always be depended upon for a first rate performance, deviates from her usual exotic roles and, for the first time, appears as a charming school teacher loved by two men, a mother and a young newspaper girl. Miss Clarke, so successful in other eddy portrayals—and who admits she has never attended college—is seen as the younger daughter of Barrymore who believes marriage is too old-fashioned for a girl with her modern views on life. Henry Wilcocks, a recent recruit from the Broadway stage, plays the part of Miss Clarke's pluming youth. Ian Merle brovilles, her never-failing

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

JAZZ RECITAL FROM THE STUDIO

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6-8 p.m. European Programme.

5-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.03-7.20 p.m. Vocal Gems from Operas.

Aida (Verdi).

Die Fledermaus (J. Strauss).

Grand Opera Company

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LATEST DERBY CALL-OVER

PRICES VARY A LITTLE

COLOMBO OFFER AT 7-4

STILL FAVOURITE

London, May 30. The latest call-over for the Derby classic to be run next Wednesday, was made here to-night as follows: Colombo 7 to 4 (o) 15 to 8 (t) Umidwar 10 to 1 (t and o) Easton 10 to 1 (t and o) Windsor Lad 13 to 1 (t and o) Lexington 22 to 1 (t and o) Admiral Drake 25 to 1 (t and o) Tiburius 28 to 1 (o) 30 to 1 (t) Allah 28 to 1 (o) 33 to 1 (t) Medieval Knight 33 to 1 (t and o) Valerius 33 to 1 (o) Bondman 35 to 1 (o) Badriddin 35 to 1 (o) 40 to 1 (t) Patriot King 50 to 1 (o) 55 to 1 (t) Rathmore 50 to 1 (o) 66 to 1 (t) Achiman 66 to 1 (t and o) Primero 66 to 1 (o) Hornsey Blue 66 to 1 (o) On Top 80 to 1 (o) 100 to 1 (t) Ruthless 80 to 1 (o) Baron Matchhausen 100 to 1 (t and o) Pride of Chilterns 100 to 1 (o) Fleetwood 125 to 1 (o) — Reuter.

OAKS BETTING

New Call-Over Figures

London, May 30. A call-over for the Oaks classic was made in London this evening, with the following figures quoted: Campagna 11 to 8 (t and o) Bright Brocade 100 to 30 (o) 7 to 2 (o) Zolino 9 to 2 (o) 5 to 1 (t) Bar Three 100 to 9.

London. Fresh fields are being conquered by the Rugby League game. France is already making headway, and now comes the information that Italy is keen to try it out. The French Rugby League has received an official request from a group of Italians who are interested, and a representative of the League will visit Rome to arrange for exhibition games.

Two Big League Tennis Games

IN "B" DIV. TO-DAY

One of the best matches in to-day's "B" Division tennis league programme promises to be that between Kowloon Cricket Club and the Club de Recreio.

The Recreio, who last year finished third, have a strong combination, and the K.C.C. will need the advantage of playing on their own courts in order to win.

Dunne remains absent from the K.C.C. side owing to a lawn bowls engagement, and W. Gittins will probably come into the side to partner C. I. Stapleton. Burnett will again line up with R. B. Lewis and Gray and Oppenheim will constitute the third pair.

The promoted C.R.C. side will also be up against a useful proposition in visiting South China Athletic Association, and it is doubtful whether more than two sets will separate the teams at the close.

The full programme is:

"B" DIVISION.

University v Graduates
K.C.C. v Recreio
S.C.A.A. v C.R.C.

BOXER MATCHED

OPPONENT FOUND FOR BRILKA

An opponent has been found in Hongkong for Max Brilka, the German boxer, who arrived in the Colony at the beginning of the week from a tour of various other cities of the East.

Yesterday afternoon Prof. S. M. Fernandez, the well-known local physical culture specialist, presented himself at the office of the S. C. M. Post and intimated that he was prepared to accept the challenge issued by Max Brilka if there is any promoter who might be interesting in staging a contest.

Prof. Fernandez has been in Hongkong for the past three years and has been engaged in physical culture training. He came here from the Federated Malay States, where he states he was the Ost. boxing champion. He is still under ten stone in weight.

MISS STAMMERS BEATEN IN FRENCH TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

CRICKET GOES BACK 200 YEARS.

Cricket went back two hundred years when the Vine Club at Sevenoaks, Kent, the oldest cricket club in the world celebrated its bicentenary recently with a reproduction of the first cricket match played on the club's ground.

In that match Lord John Sackville and Sir William Gage Sackville and other men of Kent opposed Viscount Gage's XI from Sussex.

Players in the bicentenary match wore exactly similar clothes to those of the first players, and the game was played under the rules of that time.

HITLESS FOR EIGHT INNINGS

Senators' Experience Against Yankees

New York, May 30. A rare pitching feat by Whitehill of the Yankees saw Washington Senators hitless for eight innings to-day, but the Senators finally scored a run and then blanked out their opponents.

Cleveland were nosed out, as were St. Louis, but in the National League, the Giants won with ease. Scores as cabled by Reuter follow.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

R. H. E.
Washington 1 7 0
(Whitehill pitched for eight hitless innings)
New York 0 1 0
Washington 4 9 0
New York 5 5 3
Chicago 8 11 1
(Simmons homered. There were 12 innnings)

Cleveland 7 10 4
(Hala scored two home runs)
Chicago 4 8 1
Cleveland 5 9 0
(Trosky hit two home runs)
Detroit 7 13 0
(Gehringer scored two home runs and Greenberg one)

St. Louis 6 12 2
Detroit 5 9 0
St. Louis 4 13 1
(There were ten innnings)

Boston 3 6 1
Philadelphia 5 8 1
Boston 2 6 1
Philadelphia 1 5 1
(Warther homered)

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York 5 10 1
Brooklyn 2 8 1
New York 8 12 1
Brooklyn 0 13 0
(Wilson homered)

St. Louis 9 12 1
(Delancey homered)

Cincinnati 6 10 3
St. Louis 2 17 0
Cincinnati 2 7 1
Pittsburgh 2 12 1
Chicago 7 13 1
(Klein and Hartnett homered)

Pittsburgh 4 12 2
Chicago 5 12 1
(There were eleven innnings)

Philadelphia 4 0 1
(Todd homered)

Boston 10 15 1
Philadelphia 1 0 0
(Moore homered)

Boston 5 12 1

HARE AND AUSTIN AS WELL

ANOTHER SAD DAY FOR ENGLAND

THREE DEFEATS

Paris, May 30. Britain's interest in the French tennis championships is now practically extinct as a result of to-day's matches.

They saw Miss Kathleen Stammers beaten very easily in the women's singles. H.W. Austin and C.E. Harrold eliminated from the men's doubles after a five set match with Borotra and Bruneton, and Miss J. McAlpine and Miss Barbara Yorke make their exit from the women's doubles.

Miss Margaret Scriven in company with Jack Crawford managed to survive another round in the mixed doubles at the expense of Mrs. Howard, another Englishwoman and Brugnon.

Miss Stammers was disappointing against Fraulein Aussem in the singles quarter-finals, winning only six games in two sets. The German girl was rarely extended and won her points whenever necessary.

Against two such experienced campaigners as Borotra and Brugnon, "Bunny" Austin and young Harrold did extraordinarily well to take the match to the fifth set.

The Englishmen won the first and third set, and took the fourth to ten games before fading out. It was disheartening news.

GOOD SHOWING.

Miss McAlpine and Miss Yorke gave no reason to feel disgraced concerning their result. Opposed to what is regarded today as the strongest ladies combination in the world—Miss Mathieu and Miss Ryan—the English girls carried the encounter the full distance, and the Franco-American had to play 36 games before winning.

A fierce fight for the first set terminated in favour of the English girls at the 18th game, but the effort appeared to cost them a lot, and Mrs. Mathieu and Miss Ryan hit back to gather the next two sets both at 6-6.

Scores as called by Reuter were:

WOMEN'S SINGLES.

Quarter-finals

Fr. C. Aussem (Germany) beat Miss K. Stammers (England) 6-4, 6-2.

Women's Doubles

McNamee, Mathieu (France), and Miss Ryan (U.S.) beat Miss J. McAlpine and Miss B. Yorke (England) 8-10, 6-3, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles

Borotra and Brugnon (France) beat Austin and Harrold (England) 4-6, 6-3, 7-0, 6-4, 6-2.

Mixed Doubles

J. Crawford (Australia) and Miss Scriven (England) beat Brugnon (France) and Mrs. Howard (England) 6-4, 2-0, 6-0.

Rome, May 26.

In the II Duco Polo Cup contest held in Rome, between the teams of France, Hungary, and Italy, the first game, between Hungary and Italy, ended in a draw at 4-4.

Then the French beat the Hungarians by 3 to 2, and the Italians by

242 FOR THE SECOND WICKET

BY SANDHAM & GREGORY

SURREY'S HUGE SCORE



VISITORS FIELD ALL DAY

London, May 30. A 48 year old second wicket record was shattered to-day at the Kennington Oval when Andrew Sandham and J. Gregory of Surrey put together 242 while playing against the Australian Test team.

The previous record, established by F. W. Hearn and M. Read, was 191, and was made for the South of England eleven at Gravesend in 1886.

The Australians, as a result, had a tiring time chasing the ball in the first day's play of their match against Surrey. The county batted all day to compile 372 for three wickets.

Sandham was magnificent and stayed until stumps were drawn, remaining unbeaten with 201 to his credit. He hit without blemish all round the wicket, scoring his runs in 330 minutes, and having one six and 21 fours to his credit.

Gregory gave him wonderful support, and the pair collared the Australian attack to such an extent that 242 runs were added before Gregory left after hitting up a vigorous 116, which had sixteen boundaries as chief hits. Reuter.

MOTOR RACING

Marathon Proceeds At Isle Of Man

London, May 30. Ideal weather favoured the "Manx-Esc" international motor-car race which is being run in on the Isle of Man to-day.

It is organised by the Royal Automobile Club. The distance is 50 laps of a three and a half miles circuit. At end of 26 laps the leaders were Dixon, in a Riley, whose speed was 72.63 miles per hour. Black in an M.G. Magnette, 71.27 miles per hour. Eyston, in an M.G. Magnette, 71.22 miles an hour.—British Wireless.

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MARRIED FLIRTS

(Continued from Page 3.)

kitchen, popping corn." Tom told her. "It's eight o'clock. Your father's talking about wanting supper."

"Supper!" Gypsy cried, appalled. "We only left the table a moment ago."

"You've lost count," Tom jibed. He pulled hot to her feet.

Arm in arm, they joined the group in the kitchen. Beatrice had her red silk frock covered by a tent-like apron. She was slicing bread. Mr. Morell withdrew his head from the icebox door.

"We're scrabbling for supper," he told his eldest daughter. "Come and help."

Gypsy said she couldn't eat a bite. She felt like a Strassbourg goose already. But when at last the impromptu feast was spread, she found herself nibbling at bits of things. A wing of the ravaged bird, a buttered roll.

"Oh, this hot tea is heaven, Mums! I always forget how much I love tea."

Cousin Lou beamed. "Try some of this fruit cake, Gypsy. It's Grand Aunt Mildred's recipe."

Gypsy laughed helplessly. This was Christmas, after all. She would go back to bread and milk on the morrow to make up her dietary sins.

At 10 o'clock she and Tom pulled themselves and their various belongings together.

"Night, Mums. Such a good day, darling. Night, Daddy. Remember you're all coming to my place next week."

"Sunday, yes?" Mrs. Morell said comfortably. "I declare, I think it's too much for you, Gypsy. Better let it go."

"Nonsense, I'll expect you." There were kisses all around and then the door closed and she and Tom were in the little car together. "Brr!" Gypsy held her fur collar high. The wind was bitter now, sweeping across the flats.

Tom tucked the robe in around her. If only he'd been able to buy her that fur coat! Maybe next year . . .

Gypsy pushed the thought of Saturday far back in her mind. She'd have to make some excuse to Tom for not meeting him that afternoon. What should she say? She hated lies, but this was one which had to be told.

(To Be Continued.)

POLICE EVACUATE

OLD NO. 8 STATION TO BE DEMOLISHED

Sub-Inspector Mist, officer-in-charge, Sergt. Slater, Sergt. Wengland and the Weihsien and Indian policemen stationed at the old No. 8 Police Station (Upper Levels) at Bonham Road, evacuated yesterday, as the building is to be demolished. A new structure is being erected in the near future.

The old building was originally the Rheinish Mission and then became the Police Training School for many years, until 1927, when the present Training School building at Mongkok was established.

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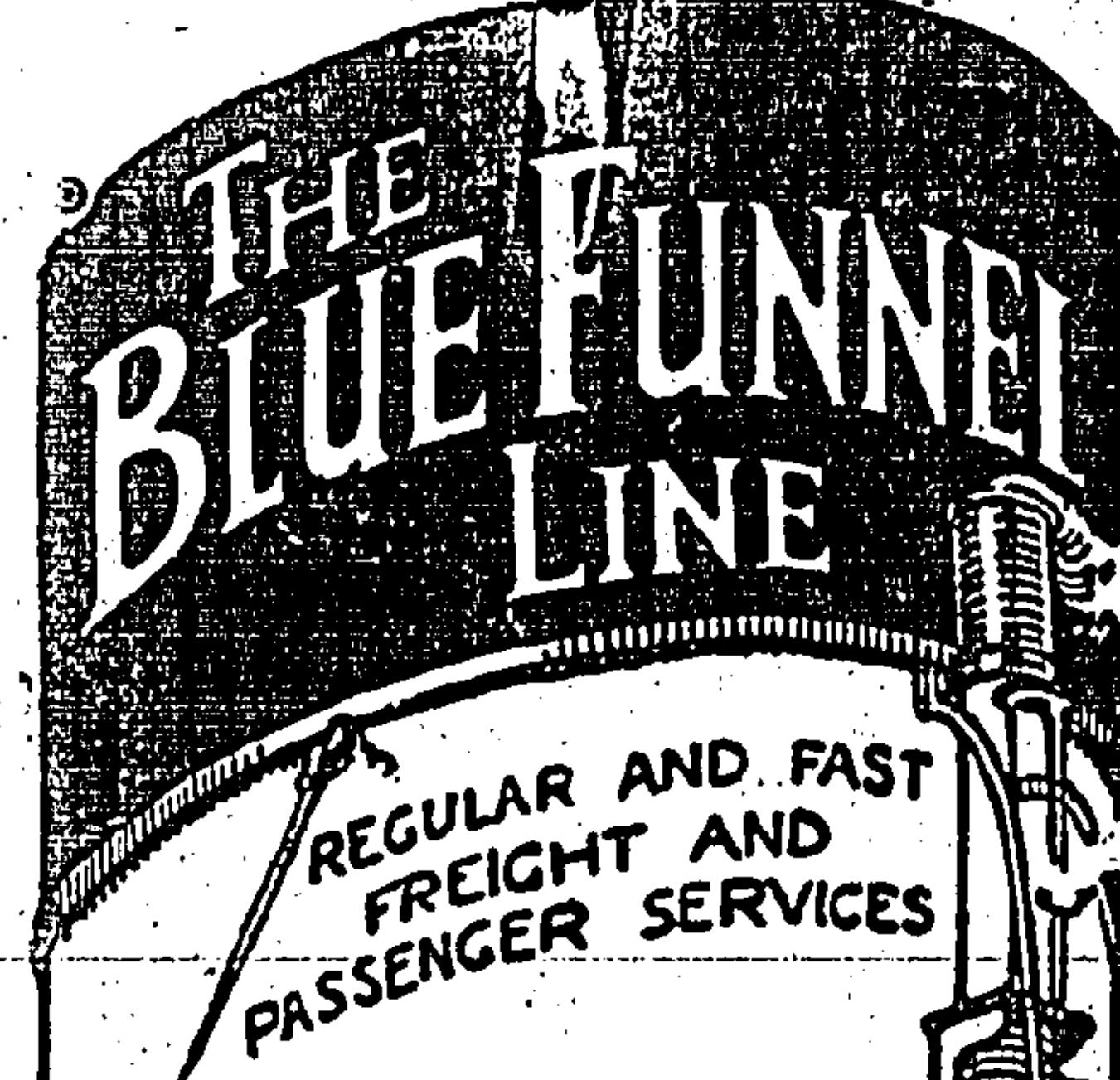
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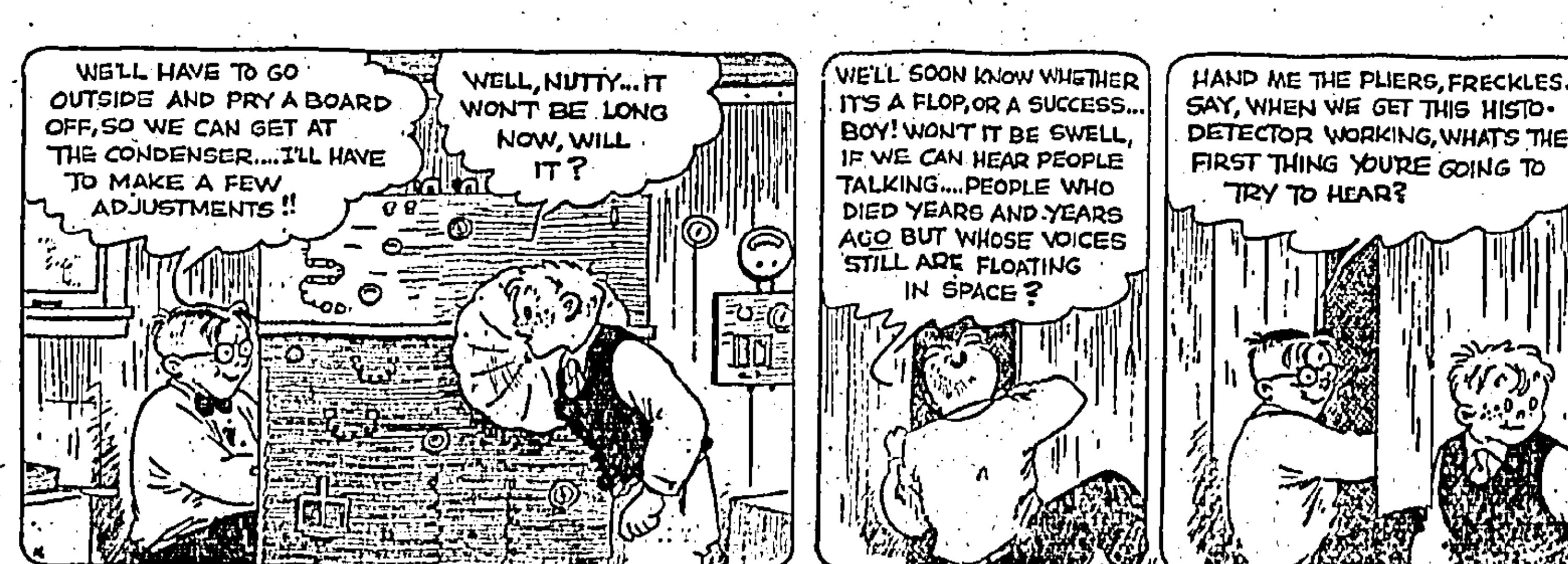
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Solution to Previous Contract Problem

It does not pay to attack a slam contract with a "normal" opening. If a slam has been bid by two good opponents and they seem to arrive at the contract without any misunderstanding, it is up to you to try to reserve a trick for yourself or to establish a trick for your partner.

To-day's hand was played by C. B. Pennybaker of Cleveland, who, with his partner, W. J. Roberts, recently won the Greater Cleveland tournament.

The Bidding

South has a defensive type hand. When holding this type of hand, it requires 3½ primary tricks to open the bidding; therefore, South properly passed. North does not have a no trump type of hand.

While he has an exceptionally strong hand, he can bid nothing but one club. Of course, this is a third hand club bid and may signify weakness, but, in face of that, when South went to two no trump, he signified that he had everything but an original bid.

North was justified in going to four no trump, as a jump bid shows South that his partner had a real bid and that his suit was clubs. So, with four clubs, South felt that he had a good fit in clubs and jumped the contract to six.

The Play

The big problem on this hand is the opening lead. If West opens a club, the declarer is going to make three clubs, four diamonds, two hearts, and three spades.

With a spade or a diamond opening, the declarer can make it tough for West, but West can defeat the

♦ A K 5	♦ Q 7 4	♦ K Q 5	♦ A 8 6 3
♦ Q 6 5	♦ 7 4 2	♦ 8	♦ 10 7 6 3 2
♦ K 3 2	♦ 9 6 4	♦ 9	♦ Dealer ♦ 9
♦ 10 9 8	♦ N	♦ J 8 4 2	
♦ K 7 6 5	♦ W	♦ E	♦ 10 7 6 2
♦ 8	♦ 10	♦ 10	♦ 10 7 6 3 2
♦ 7	♦ 9	♦ 9	

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Opening lead—♦3

South West North East
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2 N.T. Pass 4 N.T. Pass
6 N.T. Pass Pass 27

slam when the hand is stripped down by going in with the ten of clubs. So he led the ten of clubs, putting West in the lead, and West was forced to lead away from his king of hearts, giving Pennybaker the last two tricks.

When the hand was actually played, West opened the three of hearts, which I believe to be a poor lead, because it is certainly into a tenace position of the declarer's. I would prefer to hold back on the hearts and clubs. My most likely lead against a slam contract would be the singleton diamond.

However, with a heart opening, Pennybaker won the first trick with the ten and then cashed four diamond tricks, discarding a club from dummy on the fourth diamond. West let go a club and two spades, so the declarer now cashed three spades, discarding a club from his own hand on the third spade.

West, on the third spade, was forced to let go the nine of hearts. Therefore, Pennybaker led the ace of clubs from dummy and then played the six of clubs. East

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REPLY TO CRITICISM

Gonow, May 30. Mr. Victor Hoo, Chinese delegate, speaking before the Opium Advisory Commission to-day, in reply to Mr. Fuller's attack, said that unfortunately he was unable to report any improvement in the situation which had recently become aggravated in China. However, China was determined to enter on the struggle against

opium and would welcome any technical assistance of the sort suggested by Mr. Fuller.

Mr. Hoo emphasised that China was more menaced by foreign drugs clandestinely introduced into her territory than other countries were threatened by Chinese products. He proposed, first, that the powers should not protect their nationals engaged in illicit traffic; and, secondly, that measures be taken against foreign vessels employed in coastal and river navigation which were engaged in the narcotics trade.

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HONGKONG TRADE

REVIVAL SUGGESTIONS FROM CHINESE

Recommendations to hasten commercial and industrial recovery in the Colony, prepared by Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, were submitted to the monthly meeting of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce yesterday for discussion prior to final adoption at the members' meeting scheduled for June 6.

It was indicated by Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, who presided at yesterday's proceedings, that if his proposals and any other proposals to hasten trade revival were passed by the June 6 meeting the whole memorandum would be submitted to the Government for consideration.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin explained to the meeting that his suggestions included a proposal for Government subsidies to increase and improve the New Territories vegetable, cattle and poultry production, and technical assistance to the New Territories producers.

It was also suggested to explore what other new industries could be developed in the New Territories.

A Communications Question.

The early completion of the Canton-Hankow Railway and linking it with the Canton-Kowloon Railway formed another topic of the memorandum.

A suggestion was made to ask the Government to grant free land, with conditions, to small industrialists, the cost of land being paid to the Government after the expiration of the first three years. The author believed that encouragement to small and new industries should assist materially towards relieving unemployment.

In view of the large number of tenement houses and shops unoccupied, it was proposed that the Government to restrict land sales for a period of two years. A committee is to be selected by the Government to examine genuine applications for land sales.

Apart from Mr. Wong Kwong-tin's suggestions, other members proposed the inclusion of two items asking the Government to reduce the water and assessment rates and also to improve the wharf search methods.

Members making the latter motion pointed out that Hongkong being a free port, trade should not be

INVITATION TO WAR

TROOPS FIRE ON MANCHUKUO SHIPS

Harbin, May 30. The Manchukuo Foreign Office has demanded an apology from the Soviet Government within three days in connection with the shooting by Soviet guards at a Manchukuo ship in the Amur River.

The demand of the Manchukuo Government was handed to the Soviet Consul-General here this afternoon.

The reported shooting occurred on Tuesday at 8.30 o'clock in the morning, when Red Guards fired at the steamer Yang Fu, which was towing two barges. The ship was approaching Tientsin at the time.

Another Attack.

It is now learned here that two other Manchukuo vessels, the Wutuan and the Tsantun, were allegedly fired on by Soviet troops in the Amur River. The time of this second attack is not known here. The casualties also are unknown.

It is further reported that eight Soviet gunboats are now concentrated in the vicinity of Blagoveschenski, on the Amur River.

Invitation to War.

Officials of Manchukuo here are highly indignant at the Soviet action.

They characterise the alleged attacks by the Red Guards as "arrogant and tantamount to an invitation to immediate war."

—Reuter.

jeopardised by rigid Maritimo Customs' policies of goods exported to Chinese territory.

Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, in conclusion, invited the members to submit their views on the subject for consideration on June 6.

UNEASY DOLLARS

BRITISH COMMENT ON U.S. AFFAIRS

London, May 30. The review of a well-known merchant and banking firm, discussing President Roosevelt's silver message, gives the opinion that the price of silver will not rise appreciably, since the large stocks are merely awaiting an opportunity of liquidation.

The sale of American dollars, required by eventual sellers of silver, will probably depreciate the international value of the dollar to a point where it will be profitable to export gold or where the relative price of American goods, in terms of depreciated dollars, will become sufficiently attractive to stimulate foreign buying.

The review adds that it is difficult to believe that the American "silverites" did not obtain some unofficial assurance as to what extent the Treasury will implement its new authority.

The review concludes the new disturbing element of uncertainty, at least, has been injected into the international monetary situation.—Reuter.

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CHINA AND JAPAN

ARIYOSHI RETURNS TO SHANGHAI

Shanghai, May 30. Mr. Ariyoshi, the Japanese Minister to China, arrived this afternoon.

Referring to direct negotiations, the Japanese Minister said that up to the present, the two countries had been negotiating directly. There was nothing particular in such negotiations.

Japanese feeling toward China was improving lately and no one hoped that China would reiterate that attitude.

Mr. Ariyoshi said that the Japanese leaders were at one in policy toward China, although they differed considerably regarding internal problems.—Reuter.

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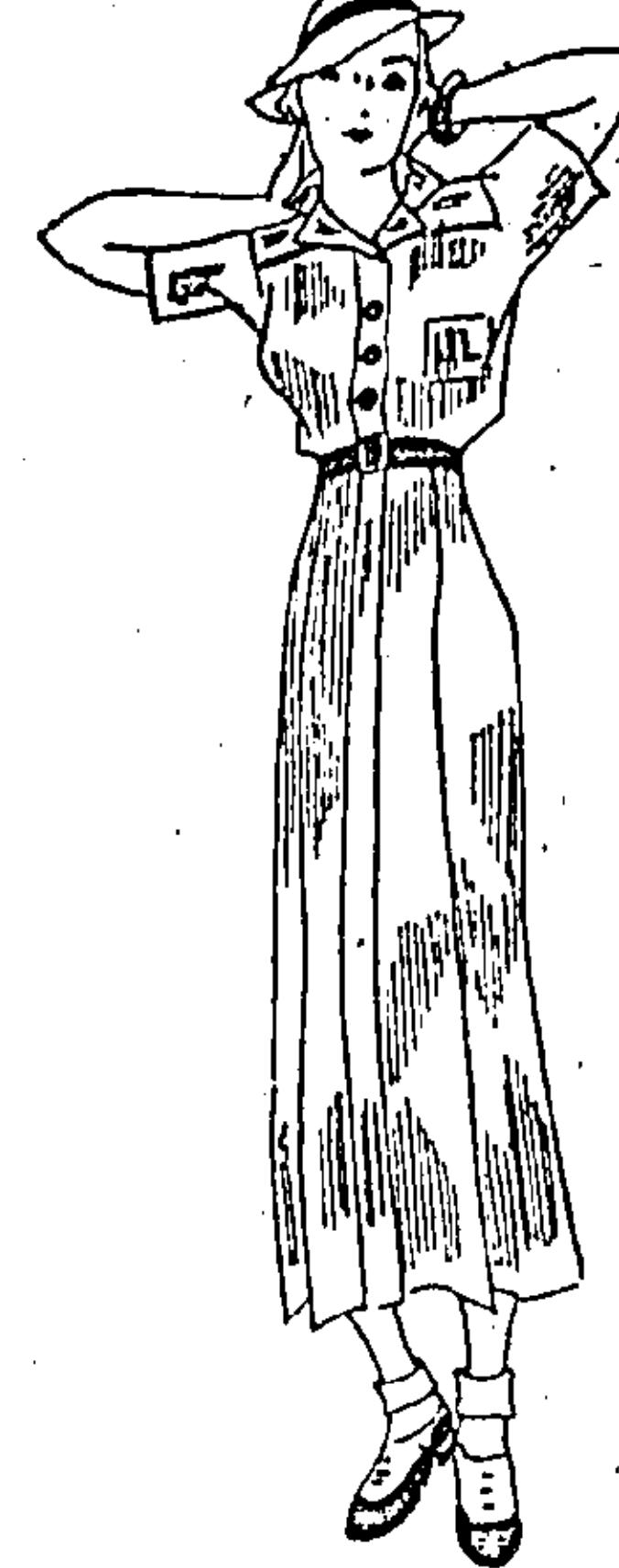
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the sketch. It is of black milan
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The fellow who tries to put
his finger on the millinery trend

for spring 1934 will certainly go
mad. For every off-the-face hat
there's another slanting rakishly
over the nose, while others that

just don't give a hoot clamp them-
selves straight on the top of the
noggins. There are flaring Dutch
caps to please the platinum blonde,

Spanish sombreros for the vivid
brunette, huge Buster Brown
saucers for the gal with bangs,

"Be yourself" is not exactly the
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of making the home work of chil-
dren an incidental thing.

Not that we intend to, quite the
contrary, for there goes up at
nightfall a chorus all over the land
of "Get your lessons done, chil-
dren." Most parents go through
the evening routine of coaxing, re-
mindng, and even threatening.

But the fact remains that we
treat the matter as incidental, or
secondary to a dozen other things.

The idea of the recitation is to
fix facts in memory. To recite or
write something the child has read
fixes it to stay, otherwise the his-
tory page, or the spelling lesson
may make little impression at all.
When he has studied a lesson,
some one can hear him recite it.
This is always a help, because
when he repeats it in school next
day either orally or on paper, the
double impression is priceless.

Avoid Interruptions

There should be no interruptions
once study has begun. The dis-

tractions of the radio should be
postponed. Errands or household
duties should be done either before
or afterward.

But above all there should be
at least a little interest on the par-
ents' part in what Jimmy is try-
ing to do. This does not mean
that Dad should do his problems
or Big Slater his history, but a
real and human interest in his
work should be the family atti-
tude.

As far as helping him is con-
cerned, no teacher on earth ob-
jects to home explanations. There
is too little of it done, in fact,
and the school programme can
usually stand a bit of supplement-
ary coaching.

Home work is of two kinds.
Study and the written recitations
of facts already known.

The idea of the recitation is to
fix facts in memory. To recite or
write something the child has read
fixes it to stay, otherwise the his-
tory page, or the spelling lesson
may make little impression at all.
When he has studied a lesson,
some one can hear him recite it.
This is always a help, because
when he repeats it in school next
day either orally or on paper, the
double impression is priceless.

Some Fast Thinking!

As a rule arithmetic problems
are merely tests of reason. Night
work of this kind is often the only
way the teacher has of discover-
ing how much of the day's explana-
tion has clicked. Therefore it is
best to let Jimmy do his own prob-
lems. But there is certainly no
objection to helping him with the
principle involved. At least there
should not be. I could never under-
stand "interest" and "dis-
count," I remember. My father
took an entire evening to make it
plain.

Too Much Study Harmful
I don't like the idea of home-
work, yet there are times when it
must be given. To load children
down with too much work is
wrong. Children cannot be con-
fined all day and all evening, too.
In spring why not get them up an
hour earlier in the morning and
let them go to it. Their minds are
fresh and it will go twice as fast.

If schools were re-graded and
children grouped in classes accord-
ing to capacity, rather than age,
much time would be saved. There
would be little need of home work
except for the few. There is a
great deal of daylight time lost un-
der the present system. Teachers,
as a rule, are driven and work un-
der the whip-lash of marks. They
are judged by their good reports.

Some day it will be changed. In
the meantime we should make
night-work as easy and pleasant
as possible.

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YOURSELF.

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To emulate the coiffure style set
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sary. If you're going to cut bangs
and do your hair as Jo, Amy, Meg
and Beth did, you'll have to con-
sider your whole get-up from a
Victorian view point.

The Katharine Hepburn fringe
is quaint and old fashioned and
you'll mar the effect if it is rouge
is applied too blatantly or if
clothes don't harmonize.

One smart New York debutante
arranges her hair à la "Little Wo-
men," wears no rouge at all, ap-
plies a touch of eyeshadow to her
lids and uses lipstick generously.

To see her with a little turban-
effect, fur-trimmed hat and a di-
minutive muff to match the fur on
the hat is well worth what it costs
her devoted young man to take
her to lunch.

Not that you have to "go" com-
pletely mid-Victorian in order to
wear your hair that way. There's
no reason why a modern woman
should look incongruous wearing
that coiffure on a warm southern
beach.

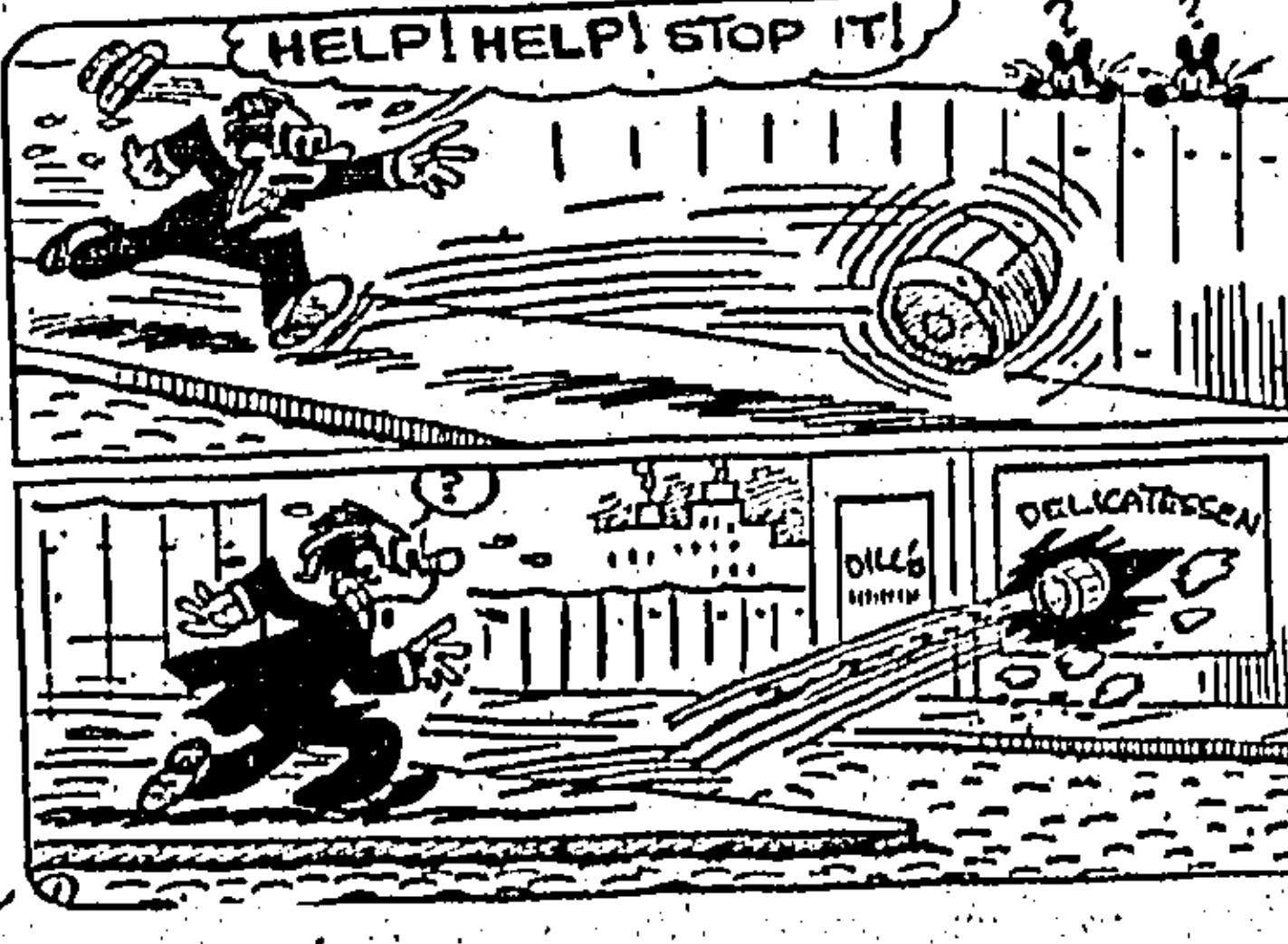
SALESMAN SAM



"I'LL BET YER BOSS'LL BE SURPRISED WHEN YA WALK IN WITH THAT KEG O' BUDS!"
"YEAH, AN' I'LL BE SURPRISED PRETTY SOON EVER GAT THERE!"



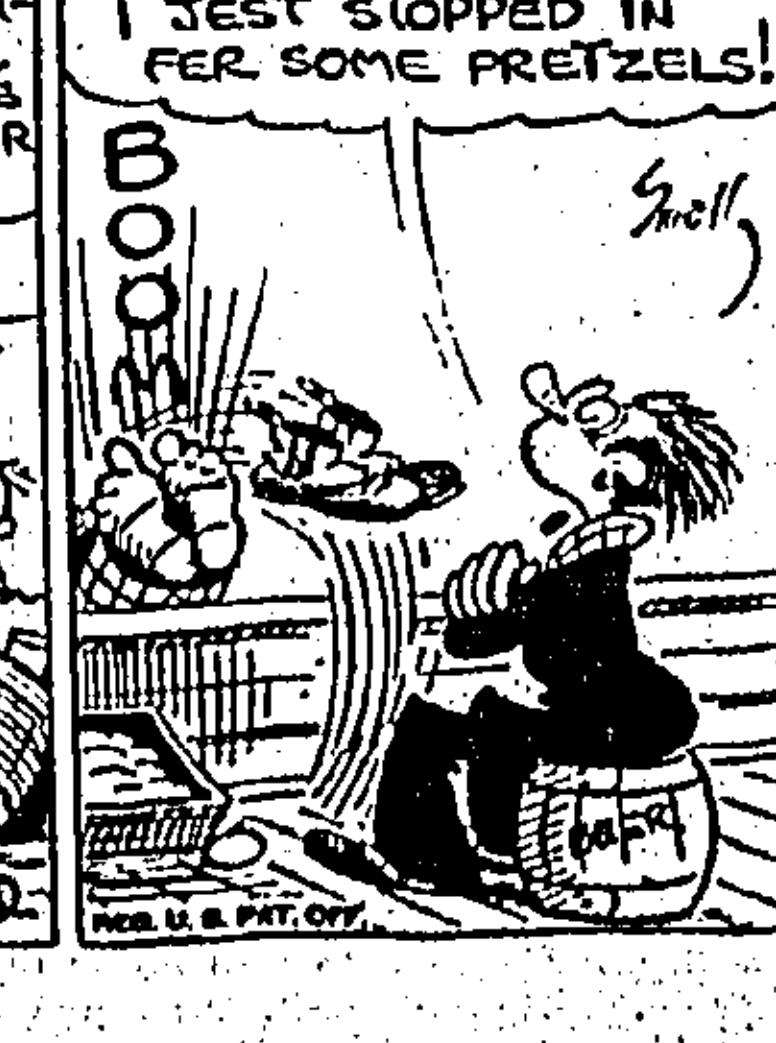
"OH, OH!"



"HELP! HELP! STOP IT!"



"WELL, NOT'S DER, BIG IDEA, YOU CAN'TCHA SEE THAT'S A KEG O' BEER?"



"I JUST STOPPED IN FOR SOME PRETZELS!"

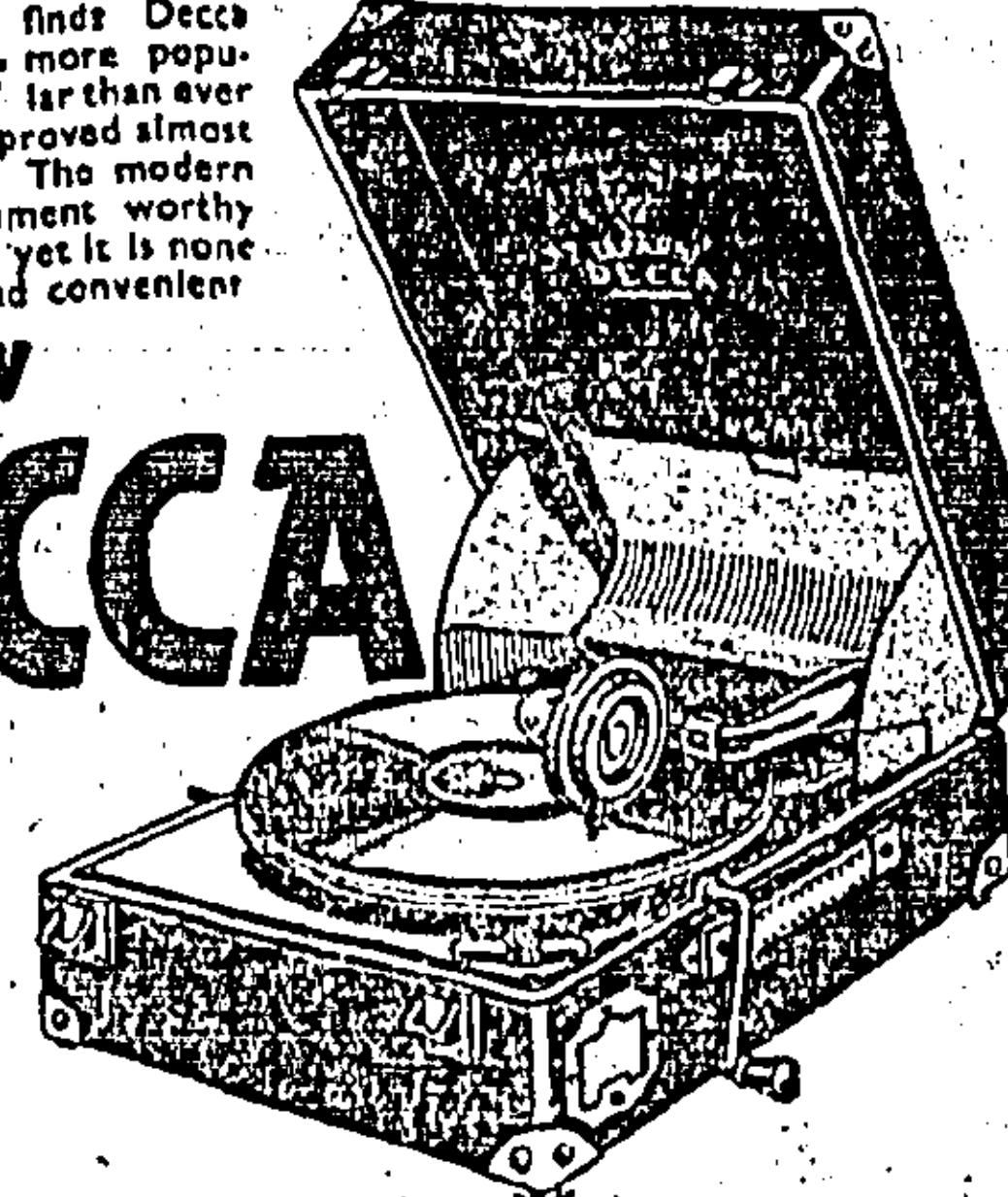
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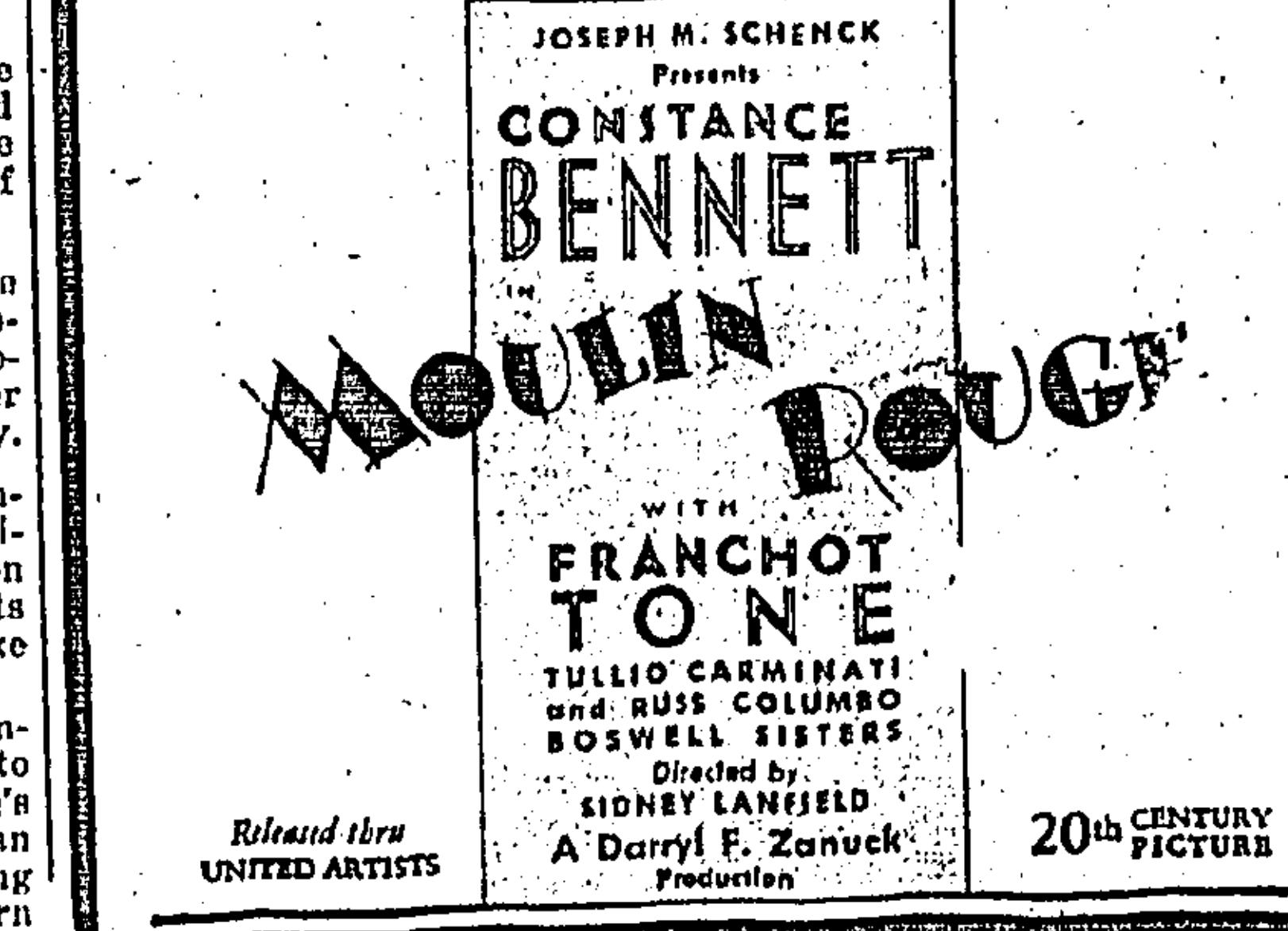
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After returning from her honeymoon in Europe, Lila invites the Weavers to dinner at her home. Marko BROUGHTON, who once asked Gypsy to marry him, shows her with attention which she accepts because she feels Tom is interested in her. (See illustration.) After the party, Tom and Gypsy quarrel, but peace is later restored.

Shopping for Christmas, Gypsy meets Marko, who offers her a job cataloguing his library. Gypsy hesitates, then agrees, planning to use the money thus earned to buy Tom's Christmas gift. (Broughton gives her an advance payment of \$50.)

CHAPTER XIII

Tom stared at the boy he held in his hand. "But darling, it's magnificent! How did you ever . . ." Then he remembered. He was not just any husband, worrying about bills. He was Gypsy's Tom and this was Christmas Day, when anything might happen. Just the same, the platinum watch rather worried him. Gypsy must have gone deeply into debt to buy it. What an adorable thing she was!

Gypsy's heart was going very fast. She stared at him with round eyes. "You mustn't ask questions, dearest, on Christmas Day."

He kissed her, peccant abashed; his heart fairly swelling with love for her.

Gypsy opened all her packages. Little squeaks of delight greeted the scent, the gloves, the flowers. She put the book under her pillow and the candy on the coffee table. She said, and truly, that she loved

it all . . . she loved everything, and he was a smart boy to remember her likes so well.

Then they had breakfast. Gypsy's woolly rose dressing gown was bolted about her slim figure. Her curls were tossed, and her eyes bright. Their first Christmas together was being a great success. She had even set up a tiny tree in a corner of the living room (Derek had been right!). Later they would go to mid-day dinner at her mother's house. Tom had brought the car into the city the previous week-end, so that their bundles might be transported in comfort.

Under her happiness she felt the tiniest pin-prick of compunction for deceiving Tom. The temptation to take Marko's money had been too great for her to resist.

After all, she argued to herself, it wasn't a gift—or even a loan. It was payment, for value received. At least, in the near future she would meticulously render Marko her careful services in his library. Why, then, did she feel guilty? Because she knew in her heart that Tom would not approve? It must be that. However, she wasn't going to let the thought spoil her happy holiday. Everything would come out all right. Tom need never know about the pact, or if he did, later, it could all be satisfactorily explained.

They drove off, just after noon, in the little car, the rumble seat crammed with gaily wrapped bundles. Gypsy snuggled close to Tom's side. What fun Christmas was! It had a special, different flavour from any other day in the year.

There was turkey. There was cranberry sauce. There was plum pudding. The old house wore wreaths in all its windows. The hall smelled of fir boughs and fruit cake and candle-wax. Mrs. Morell had her hair waved; there was a flush in her thin cheeks.

"Dear children! No, you're not late—Clytie was just basting the bird. Daddy's down at the furnace. He'll be upstairs in a minute. You run up, and lay your things off in my room, Gypsy. Cousin Lou is yours and I don't believe she's dressed yet."

Cousin Lou was a spare, smiling, middle-aged woman from Asbury Park, always included in the Christmas group. Mr. Morell looked around the table with a swelling sense of life's goodness. A man had his share of burdens and worries—often he didn't know how he was going to make both ends meet—and then Christmas lone. She was going to curl up on

the sunroom couch and snatch 40 winks.

So the party separated, as family parties have a way of doing. The wind outside blew colder, the early dusk fell and the lamps were lighted. In the kitchen regions Clytie chattered cheerfully away with the last pans. She would don her new purple silk presently, and go off to the African church in the village. The tall that Mr. Morell had given her cracked enticingly in her purse. Clytie was thankful. She experienced the Christmas spirit.

The house quieted down. Mr. Morell dozed by the fire in the living room, his wife and Cousin Lou played checkers at a table nearby and in the sunroom Gypsy, curled up under an old Paisley shawl, tried in vain to sleep. At first she had been desperately drowsy but, once she had stretched out, she had come stark awake and her conscience had begun to prick her anew.

"What a fool she'd been (she thought) to let Marko talk her into this! It would only mean keeping a secret from Tom and he'd never in the world understand it.

Well, she would work out the \$50

with Marko—she would give him the very best she knew how to give in the way of labour—and then she'd see him again. Marko's way of living was too insidiously easy for a young working wife. He made things so soft, so luxurious.

At long last she fell asleep to dream troubled and uncertain dreams in which Marko Broughton, wearing a long beard and flourishing a big stick, threatened her with dire happenings.

She awoke, trembling all over with nervousness. Tom was standing over her, big and young and vital.

"What's the matter, darling? Think you see a ghost?"

"Oh, I had such a dreadful dream!" He put his arms around her. "Lazybones, that's what comes of eating too much dinner and going to sleep. I've walked miles. I feel great."

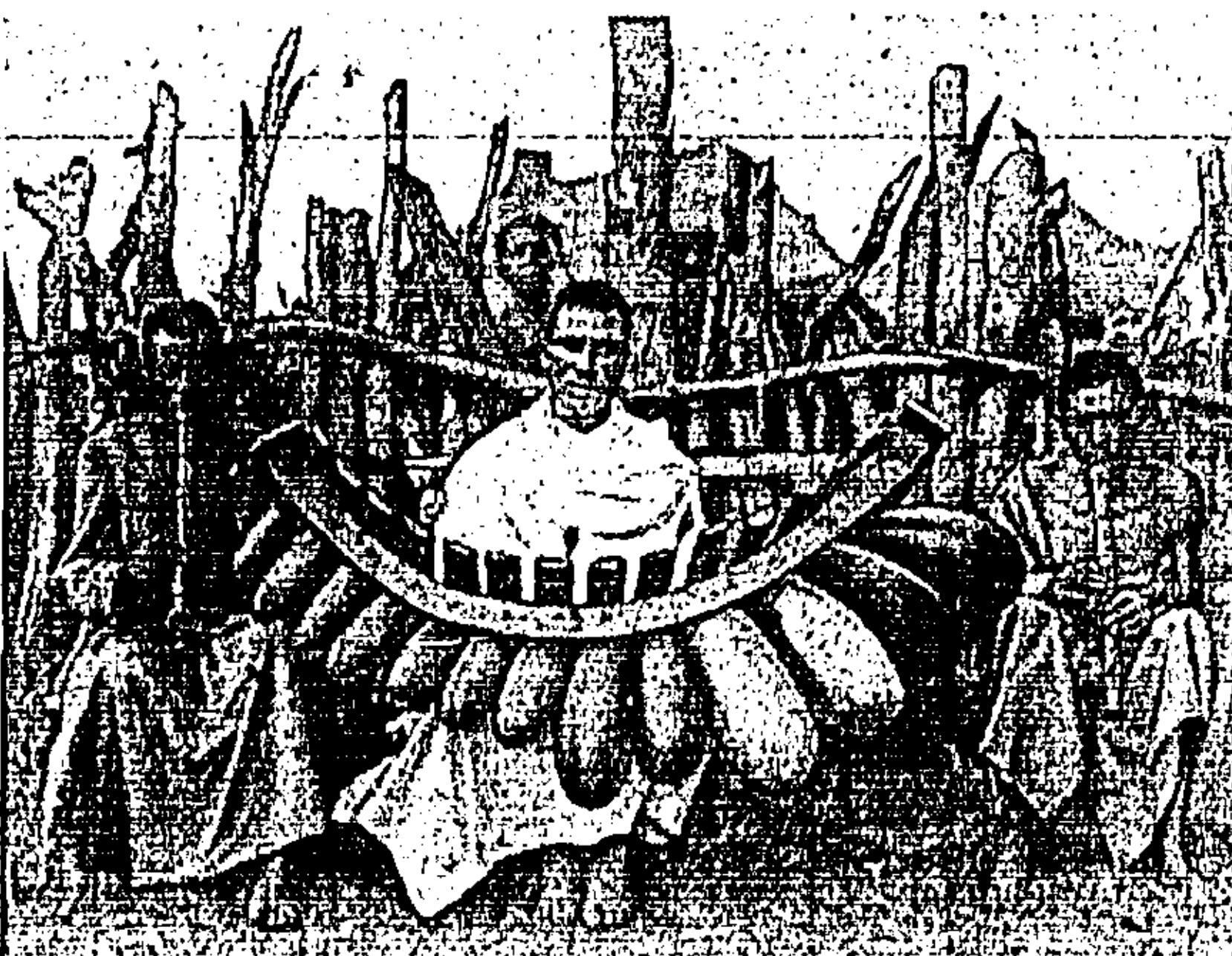
She sat up, shaking the sleep out of her eyes. "Where is everybody?"

"They're congregated in the

(Continued on Page 12.)



If you want to know how to "look like a million", take a tip from Miss Greta Glass—and grow "green" with envy. She's wearing a new bathing suit of greenback that she'll sport as "Miss Prosperity". And will she have funds!



A great xylophone being played by native of the Portuguese Colony of Angola, which has been proposed recently as a Jewish Republic.



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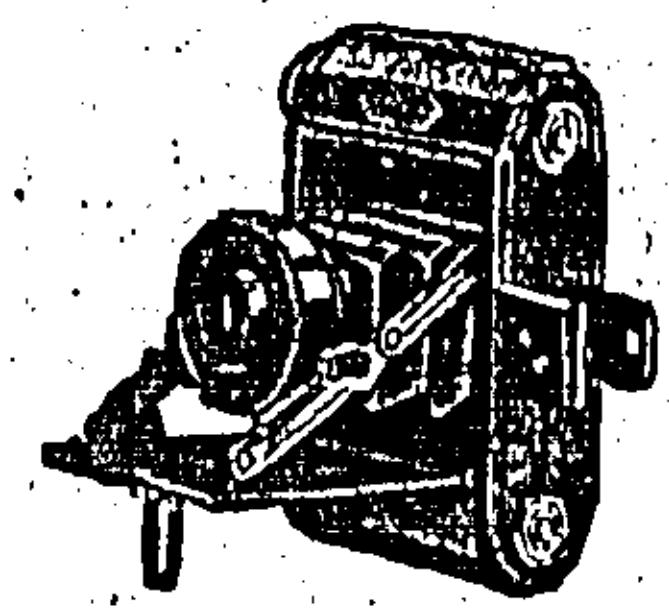


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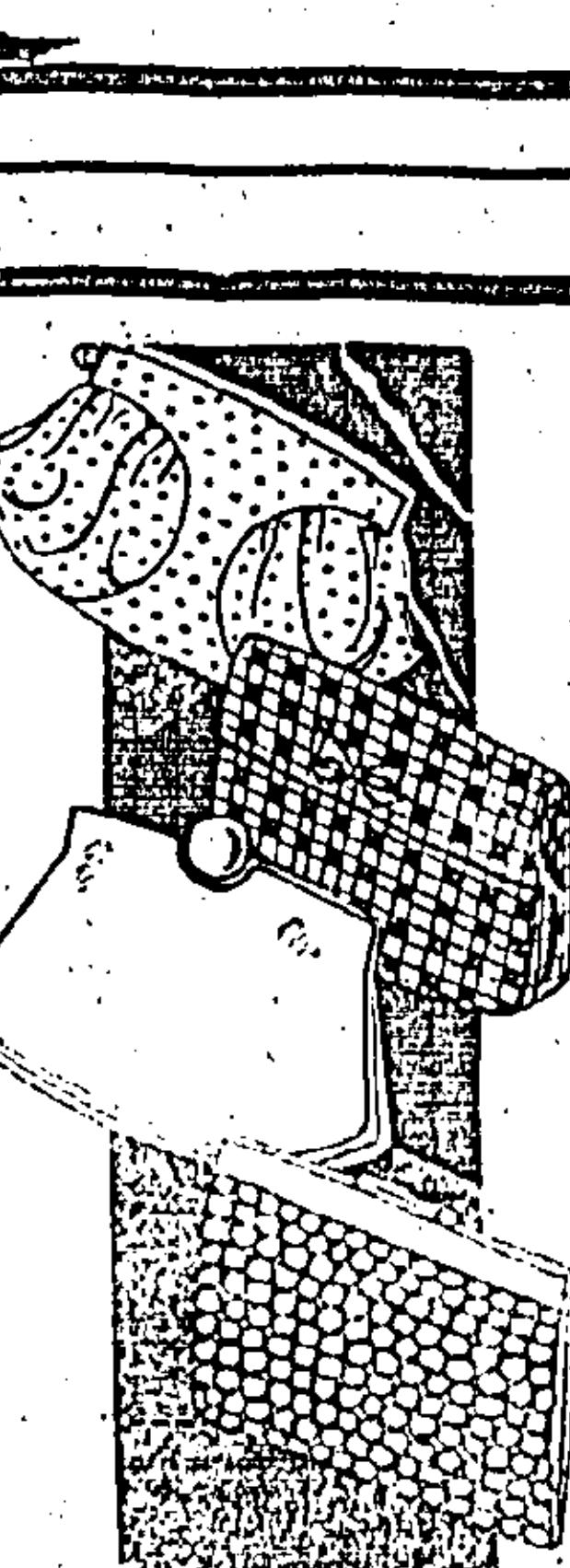
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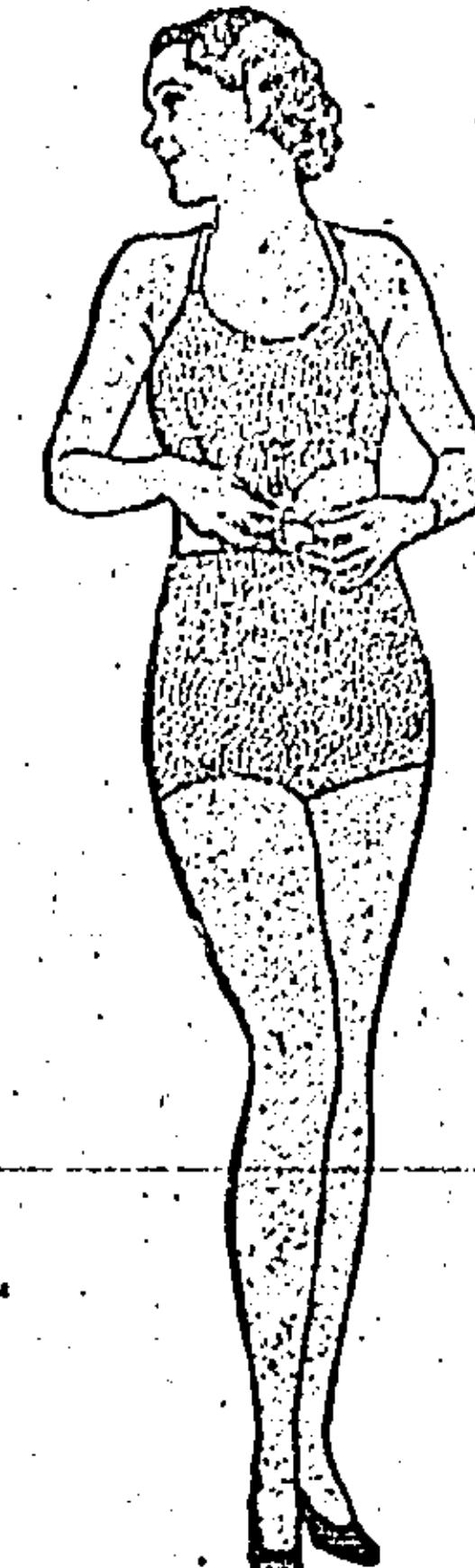
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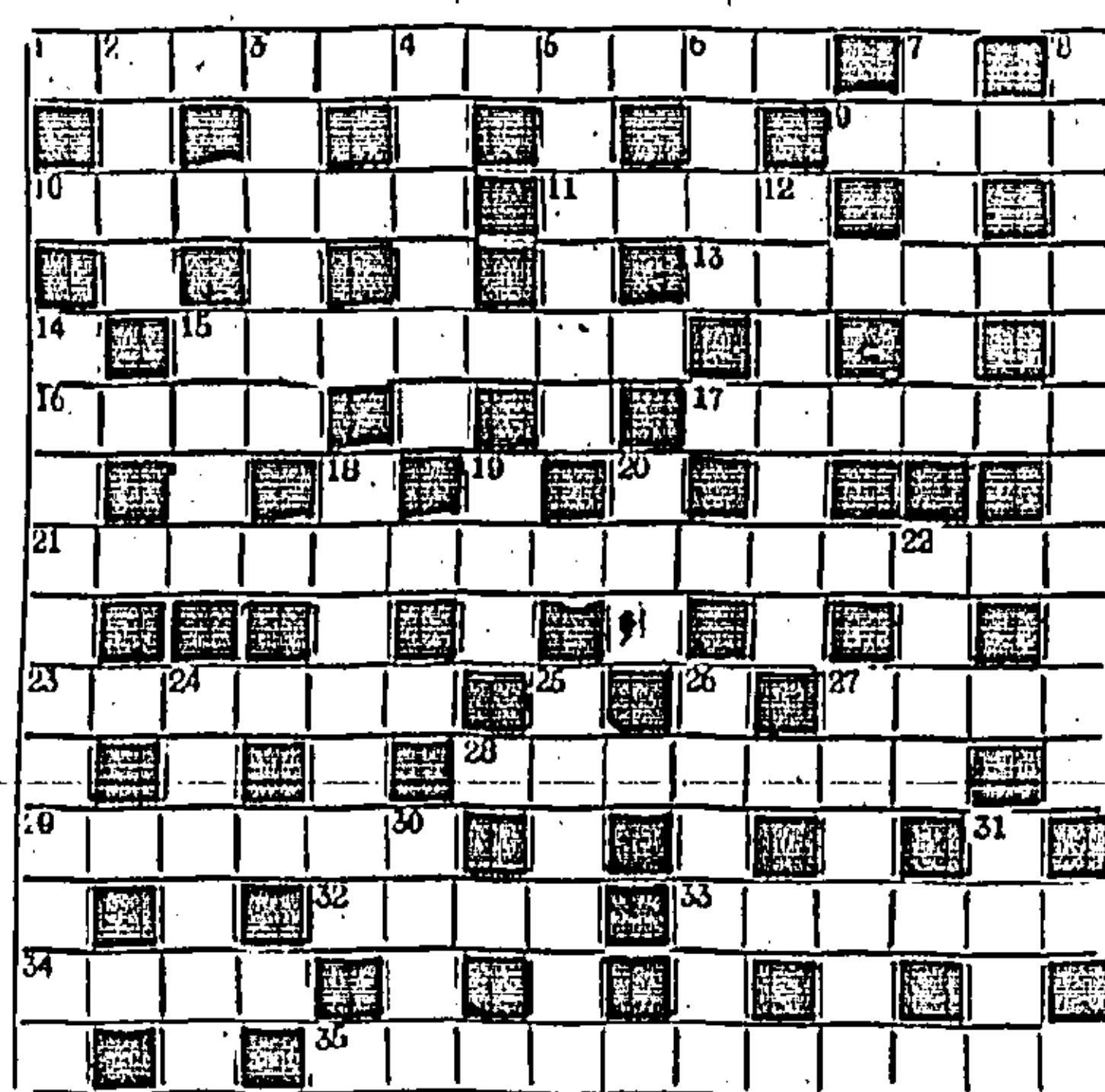
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Across
1 This noodle's noodle's not on right, and counts for nothing.
10 Perpendicular—if you doubt it, look in the dictionary.
11 One way to treat string.
13 Carved; the bird is one to devour with voracity.
15 May be jostled, but with a respectful action.
16 Pungent.
17 Shudder.
21 Consumes soup, sir (anag.).
22 Hot.
27 Dressed with a fine colour.
28 Sometimes worn by a belle, and in the heart of the beau.
29 She's always taking down her employer.
32 Could return aggrieved.
33 To *lis* is essential to this Shakespearean character.
34 Dispossess.
35 "With ivy canopied, and interwove with flutting—" (Milton, "Comus"). Down
2 Headgear.
3 Pleasing as a clue.
4 Half of the lounge is cut off.
5 Useful rope if one wants a change.
6 Widewake.
7 Eager.
8 There's "no security, D," in rural districts (anag.).
12 May be stated as a condition.

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1. Attention is drawn to the provisions of the above Ordinance which comes into force on 1st June, 1934.

2. Unless specially exempted in writing by the Inspector General of Police or exempted by Section 2 (5) of the Ordinance, every alien other than an alien of Chinese race who is resident in the Colony at the commencement of this Ordinance is required to report the fact in person or in writing for registration at Police Headquarters within one month of such commencement, and every such person who arrives in the Colony or who changes his ordinary residential or business address or who is about to leave the Colony is required to report the fact at Police Headquarters within seventy-two hours after every such arrival or within one week before every such change of address or intended departure.

3. In any case of doubt a person shall be deemed to be an alien unless and until he produces a certificate, passport or other evidence to the satisfaction of the Inspector General of Police or of a Magistrate to the effect that he is a natural born or naturalised British subject.

4. The Registration Office at Police Headquarters will be open between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. on week-days.

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OBITUARY**YOUNG PORTUGUESE LADY PASSES AWAY**

One of the popular members of the younger set of the local Portuguese passed away at her residence, No. 4 Salisbury Avenue, Kowloon, on Tuesday, in the person of Miss Aurea Angelos dos Remedios, at the early age of 19 years. She had been ailing for the past two months and died from pernicious anaemia.

Decended, who was a daughter of Mr. J. C. dos Remedios, one of the oldest members of the staff of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, and the late Mrs. dos Remedios, who is popular in a large circle of friends. She was well-known in the field of amateur theatricals and was formerly a teacher at the St. Mary's School (Italian Convent Branch) Kowloon. She was also a member of the association of the Children of Mary and of the Ladies' Section of the Club de Recreio.

She is survived by her father, two sisters, Misses Dalin and Cincie Remedios and three brothers, Messrs. Hector, Hugo and Leo Remedios. The last named is a Reverend Brother at the La Salle Brothers' College, Penang, and came to Hongkong on a visit only a short while ago. Much sympathy will be extended to them.

The Funeral.

The funeral took place at the Roman Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley, yesterday evening, there being a large gathering of friends and relatives at the graveside. The last rites were conducted by the Rev. Father L. M. Rossi, following a service in the Chapel. The chief mourners were the deceased's father and two brothers, Hector and Hugo.

Preceding the cortège from the Monument to the cemetery, there walked a procession of pupils of St. Mary's School, with their teachers, and also members of the Sodality of the Children of Mary.

Family wreaths included those from "Sorrowing Dad," Dalin and Cincie, "Hector" and "Hugo," Carmen, Maria and Terry, Teresa Sanchez, Iria Carvalho, Gussy, Connie and Joseph Pereira, Marie, Geraldine Roza and Marie Figueiredo, Tutti and Cecilia Noronha, Ethel Lopes, Freddie, Lilly and Lucy Sanchez.

Other wreaths were sent by Mr. and Mrs. Anuphy, Mrs. L. S. J. S. Britto and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gaan and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. da Luz, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Maxwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Ozorio and Edith, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. S. Ozorio, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pereira, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Barnes de Lima, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rozario, E. E. d'Eencarnacao Remedios and family, Mrs. Maria Dolores Rozario and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. V. Ribeiro and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Salvad Remedios and family, Mr. and Mrs. Julio Ribeiro and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jorge Ribeiro and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. Silva and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Silva and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. B. Silva-Netto, Jim, Mrs. J. G. Xavier and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Xavier.

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Manila	Shanghai and Europe via Mantua	General Leo	June 1.
Japan	Siberia (London, 1st May)	(ship due at 8 p.m.)	June 1.
U.S.A. Canada, Japan and Shanghai	(Seattle, 12th May)	Pres. Jefferson	June 1.
Straits	Singapore	June 2.	
Shanghai and Swatow	Conto Rossa	June 2.	
Australia and Manila	Hupel	June 2.	
Saigon	Andro Lebon	June 3.	
Manila	Pres. Wilson	June 4.	
Shanghai	Aramis	June 5.	
Japan	Maru Maru	June 5.	
Straits	Pyrrhus	June 6.	
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai	Sydney Maru	June 6.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, B.C., Vancouver, B.C.	Emp. of Asia	June 6.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Hoover	June 7.	
Japan	Santinha	June 7.	
Straits	Sanctallion	June 8.	
Japan and Shanghai	Hakusan Maru	June 8.	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Hayes	June 8.	
Japan and Shanghai	Tatsuta Maru	June 8.	
London Parcels only—London, 3rd May	Soudan	June 11.	

OUTWARD MAILED.**For Date and Time.**

Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming	Thursday, May 31, 4 p.m.
	Friday	
Amoy	Sulang	Fri., June 1, 8:30 a.m.
Sakandakan	Hinsang	Fri., June 1, 10:30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America, and Europe via Vancouver B.C., and Europe via Siberia	Emp. of Japan	Fri., June 1.
Parcels	May 31, 5 p.m.	
Letters	June 1, 9:15 a.m.	
Holloway, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingsuan	Kingsuan, June 20.
Saigon	Telresian	Fri., June 1, 2:30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hainan	Fri., June 1, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco	General Leo	Fri., June 1.
Parcels	June 1, 3 p.m.	
Letters	June 1, 4:15 p.m.	
Formosa	Kwanto Maru	Fri., June 1, 5 p.m.
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	Saturday, June 2, 9 a.m.
Letters for "Bandung—Amsterdam Mantua Air Mail Service"	Air Mail Service	Saturday, June 2, 9 a.m.
R. P. O.		
Reg. June 1, 4:30 p.m.	Reg. June 1, 5 p.m.	
Letters June 1, 5 p.m.	Letters June 1, 5 p.m.	
Reg. June 2, 9 a.m.	Reg. June 2, 9:45 a.m.	
Letters June 2, 10 a.m.	Letters June 2, 10:30 a.m.	
Strait, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Manilla	Canton	Sat., June 2, 2 p.m.
"East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Parcels	Sat., June 2, 5 p.m.
(Due Marseilles, 29th June)		
K. P. O.		
Reg. June 1, 4:30 p.m.	Parcels June 1, 1 p.m.	
Letters June 1, 5 p.m.	Letters June 1, 5 p.m.	

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than is required at this date to be set aside.

SINKING FUND SATURATED.

In other words the sinking fund is more than saturated. It is estimated to yield £998,000. Then there is the Sinking Fund of the old 6% Public Works Loan 1927 which will yield £147,000 and the invested surplus funds of the Colony amounting to £114,000 a total of £1,259,000 leaving £226,733 to be found from the proceeds of the present loan. Under Item No. 7 of the Schedule \$1,400,000 is provided for this purpose reckoning exchange at £s.4d.

The total advances from surplus balances on account of loan works at the end of this year were estimated when the 1934 Estimates were prepared at \$11,168,307.

Assuming that the whole of this sum is spent this year, which I do not anticipate, the total money required to liquidate the advance account and to supply the balance of funds for redeeming the Sterling loan amount to \$14,508,307.

\$14,000,000 AT OUTSET.

It will be observed that Government is taking power to borrow the full \$25 millions but it is proposed in the first instance to issue bonds to an amount of \$14 million only, the remaining \$11 million will be issued on one or more occasions on some future dates as required.

The price of issue has been fixed at 99%, the bonds giving a flat yield of 3.55% or allowing for redemption over the full period of 25 years of 3.56%. The issue of \$14 millions has been underwritten without expense to the Government and of this amount \$9 millions has already been taken up leaving \$5 millions to the public from whom subscriptions will be invited in about two weeks.

BEARER BONDS.

The bonds will be in bearer form and in amounts of \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000 with interest coupons attached. No sinking fund will be established but amortization is provided by annual drawings of 1/25th of the amount issued. The first drawing will take place next year when bonds to the face value of 1/25th of \$14,000,000 will be repaid on the 15th July, 1955. It will be seen therefore that the whole of

UNEASY DOLLARS

BRITISH COMMENT ON U.S. AFFAIRS

London, May 30. The review of a well-known merchant and banking firm, discussing President Roosevelt's allusion to the long and medium term creditors, which has been in progress since April 27, ended in a partial and provisional agreement. British, French and Swedish delegations undertook to recommend the German offer, provided requirements of their respective governments are satisfied and that liberty of action is retained in the event of the scheme being operated to the advantage of other nationalities.

The sale of American dollars, acquired by eventual sellers of silver, will probably depreciate the international value of the dollar to a point where it will be profitable to export gold or where the relative price of American goods, in terms of depreciated dollars, will become sufficiently attractive to stimulate foreign buying.

The review adds that it is difficult to believe that the American "silverites" did not obtain some unofficial assurance as to what extent the Treasury will implement its new authority.

The review concludes: "A new disturbing element of uncertainty, at least, has been injected into the international monetary situation. The offer applies to coupons due in the period from July 1 next to June 31, 1935. Payment of principal, interest and sinking fund would be guaranteed by the German Government and would not be subject to any transfer restrictions."—*British Wireless*.

RUBBER PRICES

LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore to-day for raw Rubber:

Spot	19½ cts.
July/Sep.	20½ cts.
Oct/Dec.	20¾ cts.
Jan/Mch.	21½ cts.

Market: Quiet, with no changes in rates.

This issue will be paid off in 26 years.

With the Sterling loan paid off the Colony's public debt at the end of this year will stand at \$4,838,000 in 4% bonds (redemption loan 1933) repayable at par in 1953 and \$14,000,000 in 3½% bonds repayable as above in 25 years, a total debt of \$18,838,000 which is only a little more than one half of the Colony's present yearly revenue.

Particulars as to method of application, deposit required, together with forms of application for the bonds will be issued when this bill is passed. The loan will be domiciled at the Hongkong office of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

MORATORIUM

SIX MONTHS' GRACE FOR GERMANY

London, May 31. The conference in Berlin between Germany and her long and medium term creditors, which has been in progress since April 27, ended in a partial and provisional agreement. British, French and Swedish delegations undertook to recommend the German offer, provided requirements of their respective governments are satisfied and that liberty of action is retained in the event of the scheme being operated to the advantage of other nationalities.

The American delegation gave no undertaking to recommend the offer. The Swiss and Dutch delegations dissented on its terms.

The Dawes and Young Loans are excluded from the proposed arrangement under which bondholders are offered funding bonds bearing interest at three per cent. to mature January 1, 1946, or cash to value of 40 per cent. of the face value of the coupons, payable six months after the due date. The offer applies to coupons due

in the period from July 1 next to June 31, 1935. Payment of principal, interest and sinking fund would be guaranteed by the German Government and would not be subject to any transfer restrictions.—*British Wireless*.

Dawes, Young Loans.

London, May 30. The chief result of the Berlin Conference has been the marking up of the Dawes and Young Loans, though both are excluded from the new agreement, and their prices touched 77 and 67 respectively. The news did not affect the foreign exchanges.

The *Financial Times* Berlin correspondent learns that Germany informed the trustees of the Dawes, Young Loans of Germany's inability to continue service, and asked for a conference.

Considering the attitude taken by the British and other Governments on this question, it is not unexpected that Germany will be more successful at the new conference than she has been in informal discussions.—*Reuter*.

Sharp Advance.

A sharp advance in Dawes and Young Bonds took place on the Stock Exchange this morning. Young Bonds at one time showed a rise of six points but at midday were quoted at 3½ up at 5½ and Dawes, after being 77, were two points higher at 75.—*British Wireless*.



LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter.

Chinese Bonds.

May 29. May 30.	
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Inv.)	£101
4% Long 1906	£93
5% Long 1912	£60½
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Eng. Inv.)	£92
5% Bonds 1925-37	£86
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£63
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£36
Tient-Pukow (Supl. Loan)	£26½
5% Shai-Helow Ningpo Rly.	£99
5% Honan Rly.	£29
5% Hukung Rly. 1911	£30½
5% Lung Tang U. Hsi Rly. 1913	£15½
Foreign Bonds and Banks.	
German 7% Int. Loan 1924	72
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£73½
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£86½
H.K. & Shai Blk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£131
Charld. Blk. 25 sh.	£16½

Industrial and Breweries.

Associated Elec. Industries	17/3	17/3
Brit.-Amer. Tob. (Bener)	120/7½	120/-
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Tate and Lyle)	21/3	21/3
Courtaulds	90/6	90/6
Distillers	56/3	49/9
Dunlop Rubber	90/6	89/9
Eveready 5½ sh.	47/6	47/-
General Electric	29/4½	29/4½
Boots (England)	41/—	40/9
Boots	44/3	44/—
Impl. Chem. Ind.	34/0	34/0
Def. 10/- sh.	8/10½	8/10½
Impl. Tolacol	125/1½	125/9
Internal Nickel	98/6	99/—
no par val	£28½	£26
Pinchin Johnson	38/1½	37/9
10/- sh.	47/—	46/—
Turner and Newall	24/—	24/—
Unilever		

Miscellaneous.

Anglo-Dutch	24/9	24/6
Burma Corp. Ra. 10	13/3	13/3
Canadian Pacific Rly.	£15½	£15½
Chartd. 10/- sh.	24/6	24/4½
Gula Kalimpong Rubber	23/1½	23/3
Tropicana Mince	13/—	12/10½
Lang's Nutte		
Estates		35/6
London Tin-10/-		38/—
Pokin Synd.	3/—	14/9
Ord. sh.		3/—
Rubber Trusts		31/10½
Shai Elec. Constr.		33/—
Van Ryn Deep		65/7
Elec. Musical Ind.		32/0
Oils		32/—
Anglo-Persian Oil		48/9
Southern Railway (Deferred)		105/3
Royal Dutch 100 fl. sh.		26/—
Shell Trans. and Trad. (Bener)		£20 5/—
Goldmines		48/0
Crown Mines		31/10½
		247/6

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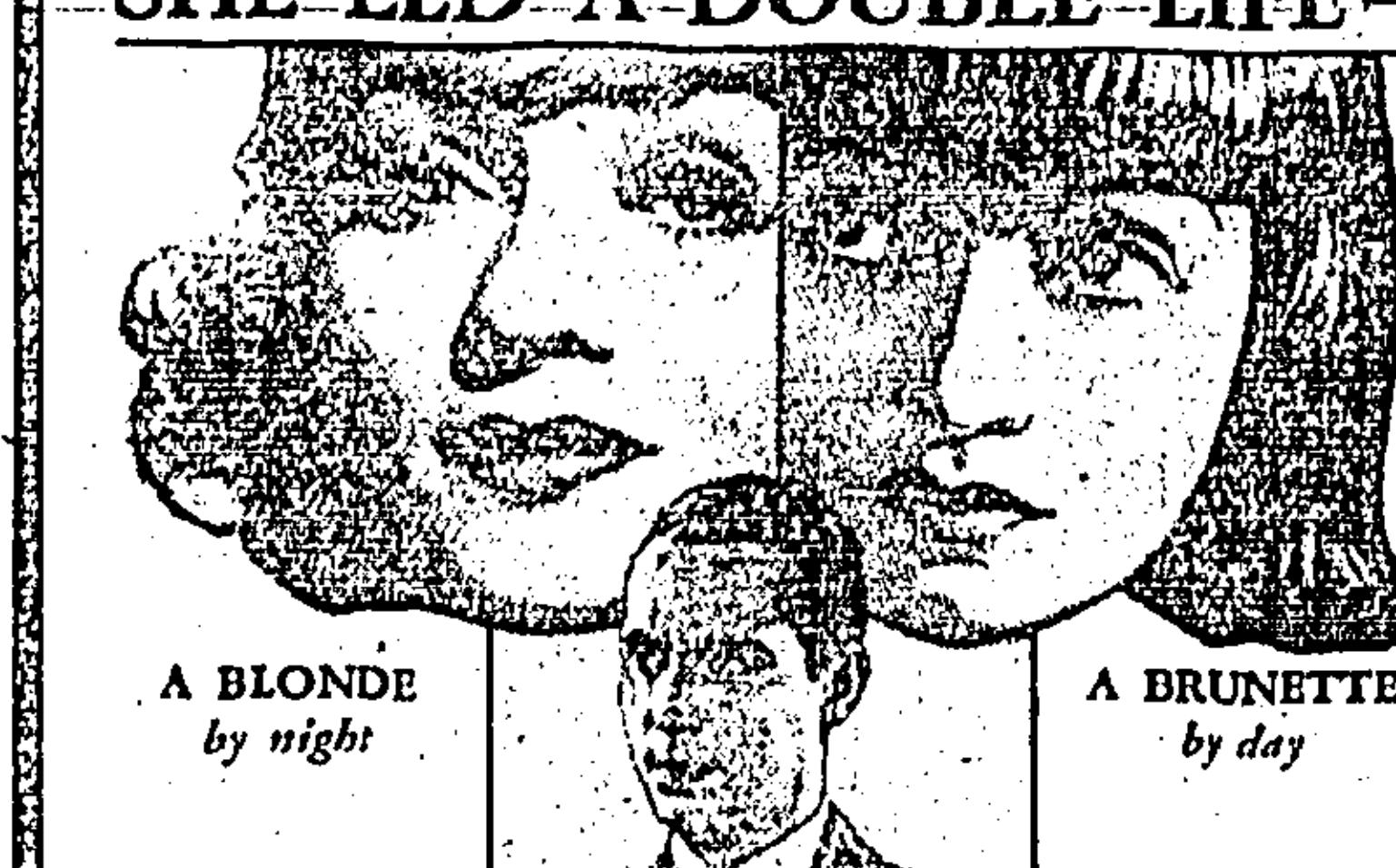
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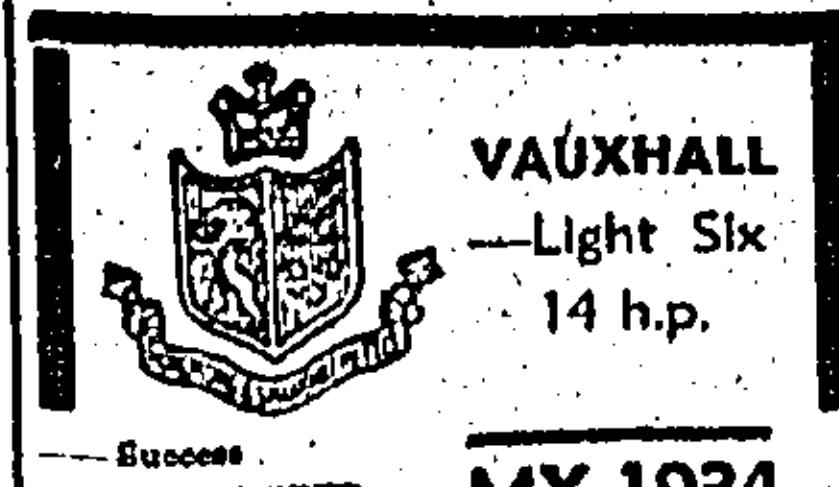
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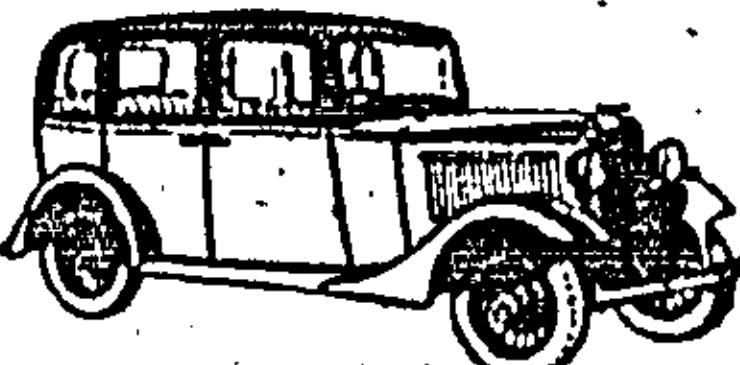
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NOTES OF THE DAY

THE DOUGLAS SCHEME

The plan for "social credits" to supplant the existing currency and banking system developed by Major Clifford Douglas, the Scottish engineer and economist, and generally referred to as the Douglas Scheme, seems to be gaining more serious attention abroad than in Britain. In Australia there are already over a thousand Douglas Credit Societies with a membership of 600,000, and New Zealand has sixteen M.P.s committed to its advocacy. It will be interesting to observe the reactions of the United States where Major Douglas is now campaigning, although it has already been indicated that the idea has received sufficient support to lead to the drafting of a plan for applying Douglas economics to the State of New Jersey.

"CONSERVATIVE LENIN"

Major Douglas is a sort of "Lenin of the conservatives," who believes that to-day's troubles are due principally to a mere technical defect in the present system of industrial economic bookkeeping, and may be remedied by a peaceful overturn of that system without disturbing private ownership or any of the rest of the system of production and social life as they are to-day—except banking and money. He believes that private production of goods is best for the world generally—that inasmuch as it has shown the ability to produce more than is required, it should be let alone. This is where he differs from Socialists, Communists, Fascists, and other ists who concentrate their panaceas on securing control of the means of production.

PILING UP DEBTS

The Douglas theory is that where the world has failed is in viewing the crisis as one of overproduction and not primarily of under-consumption. What is needed is to create credits for all consumers which will enable them to buy what is produced. The price of anything, Major Douglas contends, must always, under the present system, be A plus B—A being all wages, salaries, and dividends, and B being banking charges, taxes, raw materials, overhead. Both go into the price of goods. But since only the A part is consumer purchasing power, A can never equal A plus B, and the difference must continually be made up by money credited by banks, borrowed from banks, and bearing interest. Thus a continually increasing debt structure is created, and the lag between consumer purchasing power and cost of goods grows wider.

JUST PRICE

Major Douglas proceeds to argue that the remedy is to calculate the value of goods produced, and, taking the power to issue money and credit from private hands, to issue national credit directly to consumers in proportion to the amount of goods produced, which is the real wealth of any community. This implies the establishment of what has been termed The Just Price. Buyers, on taking their credits (in the form of a new kind of money) to a store, would pay for goods a Just Price, which would be below apparent financial cost, but at a true cost fixed by a calculation of the percentage by which production exceeds consumption. It might be thought retailers would lose by such a "consumer discount," but this is not so. The seller turns in an account of his "loss," and is reimbursed from a National Credit Account. Thus production and consumption are balanced, every one sharing in the "national dividend" of consumer power, and the problem of the world is solved without confiscation, expropriation, nationalisation of banks, class war, or political revolution.

GREAT ECONOMIST

Major Douglas is a stocky, rugged, well-groomed English square type. He was an engineer rather than an economist, and was with Westinghouse in India prior to the war. At that time he returned to England to become assistant superintendent of a Government aircraft factory and was impressed by the idea that England emerged from the war "poor." Having seen her productive plant increase greatly during the war years, he felt that she was really "richer" than before. Directly after the war he began writing on economics, and some of his followers now claim that he is one of the three great economists, ranking them as Adam Smith for capitalism, Karl Marx for Communism, and Major Douglas for economic democracy.

CHINA SCORNS REVENGE IDEAS

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS

CHINA would join neither side in event of war between Russia and Japan.

So Dr. Wang Ching-wei, president of the Executive Yuan and virtual Prime Minister, told me, in an exclusive interview at the foreign office in Nanking.

After Japan's seizure of four of China's richest provinces, her attack on Shanghai, and her hegemonic threat against all China, the world had generally believed that China would jump at the chance to help any country defeat Nippon.

That would seem to be her only chance.

Somewhat surprised, I asked Mr. Wang why.

"China," he replied in a low voice, "stands to lose in such a war, no matter which side wins."

EARNEST WISH FOR PEACE

"Far from desiring war between Japan and the Soviet Union so we may fish in troubled waters, our most earnest wish is for peace."

"If Russia should be decisively defeated, China would be left at the mercy of a militaristic neighbour. There would be nothing to prevent a further advance into this country."

"Should Japan be defeated, there would be nothing to check our other powerful neighbour."

China and Russia are now on most friendly terms. But the Chinese have been trained to think in decades, and even centuries. Now and for a long time to come, China's security, in large measure, depends upon some kind of balance of power in the Far East.

PINS HOPE ON AMERICA

"Should these two countries go to war, therefore," Dr. Wang continued, "China could hardly choose sides. On the contrary, she would seek to keep out of it and pin her faith on the League of Nations and America to save her from the aftermath."

Here was another surprise. Most Chinese leaders with whom I had talked were frankly sceptical of the League's value to China in her time of peril.

"The League and America did not save China in Manchuria or at Shanghai," I observed. "What leads you to believe they would be any more effective in future?"

"I'm afraid you mistook my meaning," he said. "The existing world peace machinery is widely discredited, I know. I do not expect it to prevent war between Japan and Russia, if that is to come."

"But what I do foresee is that, should it come, the world would face such a frightful situation afterwards—regardless of which side won—that it would be obliged to act, if only to save itself. And to save itself, it would, of necessity,

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CENTRAL BRITISH SCHOOL'S NEW BUILDING

SCHEME TO BE PUSHED ON

OUTSIDE ARCHITECTS TO HANDLE WORK

P.W.D. AND PUBLIC WORKS

In the course of reply to questions by the Hon. Sir William Shenton, at this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council, it was stated that to expedite work on the new Central British School, steps are being taken to provide for its execution by a firm of non-Government architects.

It was further intimated that the site formation for the school is in progress, but that the work is slightly behind schedule.

Various other public works schemes were referred to in reply to further questions by Sir William Shenton, and in each case it was stated that the P.W.D. staff is sufficient to cope with the work.

Progress on various important works was reported to be as follows:

New Government Civil Hospital.

Site preparation is about three-quarters completed. The steel-work is expected to arrive in the Colony about July when erection will be commenced.

Kowloon Hospital.

"C" block, Nurses Quarters and Medical Officers' House are completed. Site preparation for the Outpatients' Department has been completed and work has now commenced on the erection of the building.

Kowloon Tsai Garden City Development.

Approximately half the amount of the work covered under the present contract has been completed.

New Stanley Gaol.

Site preparation is well advanced and is expected to be completed early in October.

Dragon Back Water Catchment Scheme.

The first section of this Catchwater has been completed and the survey for the second section is in hand.

Harbour Dredging Scheme.

The dredger for this work arrived in the Colony on 8th May and will have commenced dredging by 4th June at Kun Tong where it will be employed for three weeks after which period the dredging of the Harbour itself will be commenced.

Post Office and Government Office Building at Kowloon.

Sketch plans have been prepared and forwarded to Government and the question now awaits consideration with the 1935 Estimates.

Magistracy at Kowloon.

Site preparation is in hand and good progress is being made.

New Mental Hospital.

Sketch plans have been prepared and are now under consideration by Government.

Government Employee's Housing Schemes.

Senior Officers' Quarters, May Road, Working drawings have been prepared and a contract for site preparation will be let in about six weeks time.

New Quarters at Peak Wireless Station. A contract will shortly be let for this work.

New Quarters for the Director of the Royal Observatory. This work is completed and the house occupied.

Anti-Malaria Work.

Good progress generally is being made in the following areas:—Stanley Peninsula, Tai-koo, Sookunpo, Lyemun and Kowloon Tong.

MEETING THE COST.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary, in the course of his reply, said the demands of the Public Works Extraordinary programme as it progresses can be met from the general revenues and surplus balances of the Colony. All the works mentioned are being carried out as expeditiously as possible and provision of additional funds would not materially affect progress. Supplementary votes will be applied for as occasion arises. It is the intention of Government to introduce a Supplementary Budget at an early date.

PIG AND POULTRY FARMING

GOVERNMENT AND TERRITORIES

EXPENSE NOT JUSTIFIED

Pig and poultry farming in the New Territories on an intensive scale were advocated in Legislative Council this afternoon by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, who pointed out that the Colony imports under these categories, including eggs, to the value of \$12,000,000 annually.

Replies to questions on the subject by the Hon. Colonial Secretary said:

This matter has been carefully considered by Government on numerous occasions in the past, but it has not been found possible to take any official action which would be of practical utility sufficient to justify the expense involved.

The breeding of an improved type of pigs and poultry has been undertaken in recent years by a number of private individuals and enterprises. Where these undertakings are able to show a profit it is considered that New Territory producers will not be slow in following the example shown them.

FURTHER EXPLORATION.

His Excellency the Governor has however discussed the question with the District Officer, North, and made suggestions which are being further explored.

The Superintendent, Botanical Forestry Department and the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon are at all times prepared to consider requests for advice on such matters, and it would appear to be unnecessary at the present time to seek advice from elsewhere.

LOITERER SENT TO PRISON

MAGISTRATE GIVES WARNING

Sentencing Li Yau-chun, alias Li Chi-shik, alias Li Chak-wing, to three months' hard labour with two years' Police supervision, for loitering in the storehouse of the University, Mr. Hamilton in the Central Police Court this morning said that what the man wanted was 24 lashes of the cat. "You will probably spend the rest of your life in gaol unless you leave the Colony," his Worship added.

The defendant admitted eight previous convictions.

The defendant was found by Mr. S. V. Boxer, acting Registrar, in the storeroom which was locked. He stated he was looking for a friend whom he had not seen for two years.

THE SOCIAL EVIL

TWO MEN JAILED FOR SOLICITING

Six months' hard labour was inflicted by Mr. Hamilton this morning on Tse Chiu, on a charge of attempting to procure Lance-Corporal Harry Griffin, of the Lincolnshire Regiment, to do an act of gross indecency in Queen's Road Central, near the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

Griffin, in evidence, stated that at 12.35 a.m. on May 29 he was accosted by the defendant.

Defendant: The soldier stopped me and offered me one dollar. I do not know what for.

Tam Shing, on a charge of soliciting in Wanchai, was sentenced to four months'. Two privates of the South Wales Borderers gave evidence.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

BEYOND IS ALL ABYSS, ETERNITY, WHOSE END NO EYE CAN REACH.—Milton.

At the Central Magistracy, yesterday, before Mr. Hamilton, Chan Hon-Shue, of 110 Caine Road, was fined \$10 for being in possession of radio receiving set without a licence.

Injuries to his body were sustained by Cheung Shing, a coolie of the P.W.D., who was struck by motor lorry No. 2189 in Tam Kung Road, Kowloon City, yesterday. He was sent to the Kowloon Hospital.

Wong Hau, an ex-soldier of the 10th Route army, was sent to prison for one month by Mr. Hamilton in the Central Magistracy this morning for stealing a pair of trousers and a cotton singlet from Li Hing-po, in Sutherland Street.

DETENTION OF SOLDIER

PRIVATE IN THE BORDERERS

NO CHARGE YET MADE

C.I.D. investigations into the murder of Mohammed Din, a special police guard, whose body was found in a nullah on Bowen Road just over a week ago, with a bullet-wound through the head, have resulted in the detention of a private of the South Wales Borderers.

It will be recalled that the discovery of the body was made by a party of men from the South Wales Borderers when they were walking along Bowen Road on Tuesday of last week. There was a bullet-wound in the back of the head, and the man's revolver holster was open and the weapon missing.

It is understood that several men of the Borderers have been questioned by the police in the course of the investigations into the crime, but that no charge has been made against any of them.

NO CHARGE MADE.

The man now placed under detention has not been charged, and police officials state that until enquiries have been pursued further, it is not possible to say whether he will be.

A day or two ago, the police offered a reward of \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers.

REMARKABLE SPEED IN MOTOR RACE

Over 100 M.P.H. Over 500-Mile Course

(Special to "Telegraph")

(By Telegraph. Copyright, Telegraphic Macmillan, 1934. Received May 31, 10.11 a.m.)

Indianapolis, May 30.

Bill Cummings, well-known American racing driver, won the Memorial Day motor race classic, completing the 500-mile course in four hours, 46 minutes, 25.21 seconds.

His average speed was 104.865 miles an hour. This established a new record for the track.

The assailant ran away, after committing the crime.

The unfortunate woman is not unknown in Hongkong, as it will be recalled that some years ago she and M. Torcat visited the Colony, when they gave a performance with their trained roosters and chanticleers at the Queen's Theatre.

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NEW CRICKET RECORD MADE AGAINST AUSTRALIANS

LATEST DERBY CALL-OVER

PRICES VARY A LITTLE

COLOMBO OFFER AT 7-4

STILL FAVOURITE

London, May 30. The latest call-over for the Derby classic to be run next Wednesday, was made here to-night as follows: Colombo 7 to 4 (o) 15 to 8 (6) Umidwar 10 to 1 (t and o) Endon 10 to 1 (t and o) Windsor Lad 13 to 1 (t and o) Lozinger 22 to 1 (t and o) Admiral Drake 23 to 1 (t and o) Tiberius 28 to 1 (o) 33 to 1 (t) Medieval Knight 33 to 1 (t and o) Valerius 33 to 1 (o) Bonham 35 to 1 (o) Badruldin 35 to 1 (o) 40 to 1 (t) Patriot King 50 to 1 (o) 55 to 1 (t) Ruthmore 50 to 1 (o) 66 to 1 (t) Achteman 65 to 1 (t and o) Primero 65 to 1 (t and o) Horsey 85 to 65 to 1 (o) Horsey 80 to 1 (o) 100 to 1 (t) Ruthless Abbot 80 to 1 (o) Baron Munchausen 100 to 1 (t) Pride of Chilterns 100 to 1 (o) Fleetwood 125 to 1 (o).—Reuter.

OAKS BETTING

New Call-Over Figures

London, May 30. A call-over for the Oaks classic was made in London this evening, with the following figures quoted: Imperial 11 to 8 (t and o) Light Brigade 100 to 30 (o) 7 to 2 (t) Zelina 9 to 2 (o) 5 to 1 (t) Bar Three 100 to 9

London. Fresh fields are being conquered by the Rugby League game. France is already making headway, and now comes the information that Italy is keen to try it out.

The French Rugby League has received an official request from a group of Italians who are interested and a representative of the League will visit Rome to arrange for exhibition games.

Two Big League Tennis Games

IN "B" DIV. TO-DAY

One of the best matches in to-day's "B" Division tennis league programme promises to be that between Kowloon Cricket Club and the Club de Recreo.

The Recreio, who last year finished third, have a strong combination, and the K.C.C. will need the advantage of playing on their own courts in order to win.

Dunn remains absent from the K.C.C. side owing to a lawn bowls engagement, and W. Gittins will probably come into the side to partner C. I. Stapleton. Burnett will again line up with R. B. Lewis and Gray and Oppenheim will constitute the third pair.

The promoted C.R.C. side will also be up against a useful proposition in visiting South China Athletic Association, and it is doubtful whether more than two sets will separate the teams at the close.

The full programme is:

"B" DIVISION.

University v Graduates

I.R.C. v H.K.C.C.

K.C.C. v Recreio

S.C.A.A. v C.R.C.

BOXER MATCHED

OPPONENT FOUND FOR BRILKA

An opponent has been found in Hongkong for Max Brilka, the German boxer, who arrived in the Colony at the beginning of the week from a tour of various other cities of the East.

Yesterday afternoon Prof. S. M. Fernandez, the well-known local physical culture specialist presented himself at the office of the S. C. M. Post and intimated that he was prepared to accept the challenge issued by Max Brilka, if there is any promoter who might be interesting in staging a contest.

Prof. Fernandez has been in Hongkong for the past three years and has been engaged in physical culture training. He came here from the Federated Malay States, where he states he was the 9st. boxing champion. He is still under ten stone in weight.

MISS STAMMERS BEATEN IN FRENCH TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

CRICKET GOES BACK 200 YEARS.

Cricket went back two hundred years when the Vine Club at Sevenoaks, Kent, the oldest cricket club in the world celebrated its bicentenary recently with a reproduction of the first cricket match played on the club's ground.

In that match Lord John Sackville and Sir William Gage Sackville and other men of Kent opposed Viscount Gage's XI from Sussex.

Players in the bicentenary match wore exactly similar clothes to those of the first players, and the game was played under the rules of that time.

HITLESS FOR EIGHT INNINGS

Senators' Experience Against Yankees

New York, May 30. A rare pitching feat by Whitehill of the Yankees saw Washington Senators hitless for eight innings to-day, but the Senators finally scored a run and then blanked out their opponents.

Cleveland were nosed out, as were St. Louis, but in the National League, the Giants won with ease. Scores as called by Reuter follow.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
(Whitehill pitched for eight hitless innings)	1	7	0
New York	0	1	0
Washington	4	9	0
New York	5	5	3
Chicago	8	11	1
(Simmons homered. There were 12 innnings)	7	16	4
(Hale scored two home runs)	4	8	1
Cleveland	5	9	0
(Trosky hit two home runs)	7	13	0
Detroit	1	5	1
(Guringer scored two home runs and Greenberg one)	6	12	2
St. Louis	4	9	0
Pittsburg	4	13	1
(There were ten innnings)	3	6	1
Boston	5	8	1
Philadelphia	2	6	1
Boston	2	6	1
Philadelphia	1	5	1
(Warster homered)	0	0	0

Scores as called by Reuter were.

WOMEN'S SINGLES.
Quarter-finals

Fr. C. Assem (Germany) beat Miss K. Stammers (England) 6-4, 6-2.
Women's Doubles.

Mdme. Mathieu (France) and Miss Ryan (U.S.) beat Miss J. McAlpine and Miss B. Yorke (England) 8-10, 6-3, 6-3.

Men's Doubles.

J. Crawford (Australia) and Miss Seiven (England) beat Brugnon and Borotra (France) 4-6, 6-3, 7-6, 6-4, 6-2.

Mixed Doubles.

Rome, May 26. In the II Duce Polo Cup contest held in Rome, between the teams of France, Hungary, and Italy, the first game, between Hungary and Italy, ended in a draw at 4-4.

Then the French beat the Hungarians by 3 to 2, and the Italians by 4 to 3, thus winning the trophy.



242 FOR THE SECOND WICKET

BY SANDHAM & GREGORY

SURREY'S HUGE SCORE



SANDHAM.

VISITORS FIELD ALL DAY

London, May 30. A 48 year old second wicket record was shattered at the Kennington Oval to-day, when Andrew Sandham and J. Gregory of Surrey put together 242 while playing against the Australian Test team.

The previous record, established by F. W. Hearne and M. Read, was 191, and was made for the South of England eleven at Gravesend in 1886.

The Australians, as a result, had a tiring time chasing the ball in the first day's play of their match against Surrey. The county batted all day to compile 372 for three wickets.

Sandham was magnificent and stayed until stumps were drawn, remaining unbeaten with 201 to his credit. He hit without blemish all round the wicket, scoring his runs in 930 minutes, and having one six and 21 fours to his credit.

Gregory gave him wonderful support, and the pair collared the Australian attack to such an extent that 242 runs were added before Gregory left after hitting up a vigorous 116, which had sixteen boundaries as chief hits.—Reuter.

MOTOR RACING

Marathon Proceeds At Isle Of Man

London, May 30. Ideal weather favoured the "Manx Bee" international motor-car race which is being run in on the Isle of Man to-day.

It is organised by the Royal Automobile Club. The distance is 50 laps of a three and a half miles circuit. At end of 25 laps the leaders were Dixon, in Riley, whose speed was 72.53 miles per hour; Black in an M.G. Magnette, 71.27 miles per hour; Eyston, in an M.G. Magnette, 71.22 miles an hour.—British Wireless.

There will be a match between Britain and Palestine, and this latter team will also be playing in the international competition at Dorchester. Our aim is to produce amateur teams of trade union and labour players equal to any in the country.

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The SIXTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 2nd June, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No One without Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentleman and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) may be obtained through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27704), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

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By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1934.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE.

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All MEMBERS are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

By Order of the Stewards,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 16th May, 1934.

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Sixth Extra Race Meeting.

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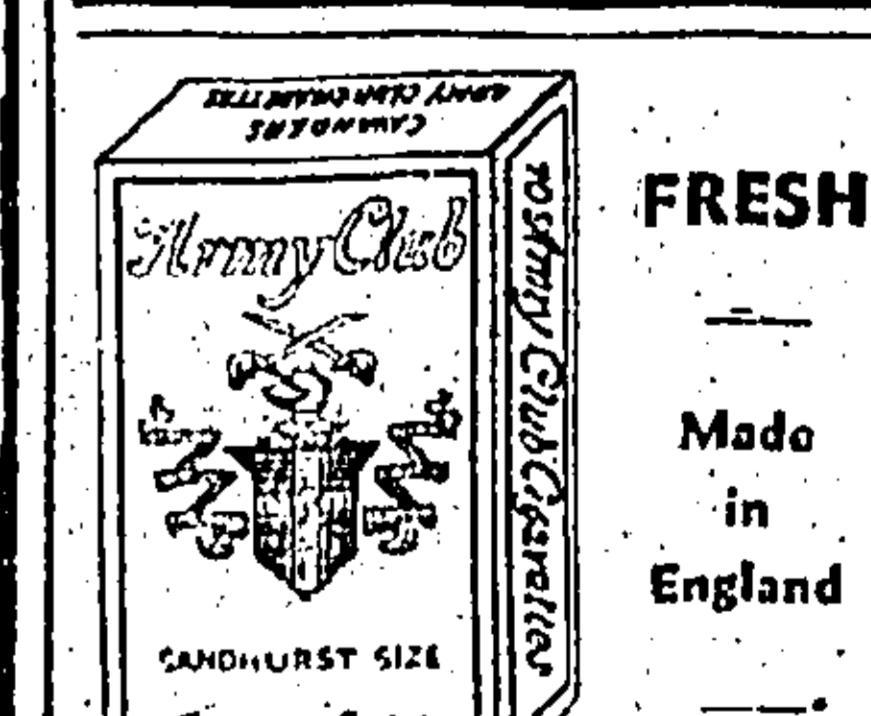
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New Rules Contemplate
Wide Powers

The P. I. lawn tennis association will curtail the privileges of local tennis stars to play abroad at their own accord. Officials of the association are reported drafting rules that will restrict the local tennis stars from participating in tennis tournaments in other countries. Before any ranking tennis players here engage in competition abroad, permission must first be secured from the P. I. lawn tennis association.

The promulgation of the rules regulating competition on foreign soil by all not even will be made by the P. I. lawn tennis association for the protection of the interest and fate of these players, it is stated, association, as the highest tennis in the Philippines should sanctify every trip abroad of local tennis stars for the purpose of participation in tournaments.

Regino R. Yllana, national head director and secretary of the P. I. lawn tennis association, is a strong advocate for inclusion of a provision restricting players from competing on foreign soil in the constitution and by-laws of the association.

Yllana de los Reyes, one of the members of the P. I. lawn tennis association, also expressed an opinion that will do more good to the players. Other members of the association also entertain the same and when the matter is taken up at our meeting of the association it is of being passed.

Officials of the P. I. lawn tennis association are now concerned with sifting and building up of new talent. With the exception of Mr. Gavín and Raúl Díaz there are no other young players who have developed into championship at present.

Understood that the association is an extensive campaign for bring of young tennis players view to improving their play in the provinces to interest

NO TENNIS FOR WOMEN
IN NEXT ORIENT OLYMPICS

P.I. TO SEEK INCLUSION

Tennis for women will not be included as a regular event in the 1936 Orient Olympics which will be held in Tokyo. In the last congress of the now defunct Far Eastern Athletic Association move to include women's swimming as a regular event in the programme of the Far East Olympics was approved, but the women's tennis was not discussed due to the absence of a report on the matter from the tennis committee of the P. I. lawn tennis association.

The quest to have women's tennis included in the regular events of the Orient Olympics was submitted by Gerónimo de los Reyes, official of the P. I. lawn tennis association to Dr. Regino R. Yllana, national physical director during the last day of the pointed Olympics, Monday, and no action could be taken on the matter as the congress has already adjourned and the Far Eastern Athletic Association has dissolved.

Local tennis officials, however, believe that before the 1936 Orient Olympics are held in Tokyo they will again petition to the P. A. A. F. officials to urge Japan to include women's tennis on the regular programme of the Orient Olympics. They are confident that the Japanese athletic officials will have no objection to this proposal as they have already signified their willingness to include this event in the next Olympics.

The Philippine woman racket wielders have won the invitation tennis tournament during the last Olympics from the Chinese entries. The local team defeated China 4 matched to 1. Mrs. E. Ochoa, Miss B. Calma, Miss E. Alburio and Miss M. Ochoa represented the Philippines in the last Olympics.

The people in tennis may also be started by the association. The P. I. lawn tennis association will encourage tennis enthusiasts in the provinces to pursue their tennis careers by accepting tennis clubs in these provinces as members of the association.

First class tennis players in this city may also be requested to make periodical trips to the provinces to play exhibition games.

Carnera Thinks Baer Is Just Dumb

WHAT ITALIAN GIANT PROMISES TO DO TO HEAVYWEIGHT FILM STAR

THE DERBY.

Final Acceptors For Big Race.

London, May 30. Playing in the rinks, championship yesterday at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, a rink comprised of four senior bowlers from the Club de Recreio defeated a rink of junior-bowlers from the Indian Recreation Club by six shots to 18.

C. G. Silva, the unbeaten Recreio skip, was in fine form. His driving and drawing for shots was very accurate.

The Indians drew first blood when they scored two shots in the initial head, but in the next two heads the Recreio were up four shots. Thereafter they had the game well in hand. The Indians registered 11 shots in the last four heads, including a five. The Portuguese had two fours and one three.

The Recreio players, J. E. Noronha, C. E. Marques, F. X. M. Silva and C. G. Silva were opposed by A. M. Omar, M. I. Razack, A. M. Wahab and K. M. Omar.

PAIRS COMPETITION.

In the pairs' championship, T. Armstrong and C. Strange defeated J. G. Ozorio and F. V. V. Ribeiro by 35 shots to 16.

Playing on the Yacht Club green W. Stoker and W. H. H. Muskett beat W. Weir and T. F. Stanton by 29 shots to 17 on the twentieth head, there being no necessity to play the last head which was abandoned on account of darkness.

ENGLAND GOES DRY.

ANOTHER LONG DROUGHT EXPERIENCED

London, May 30.

Part of England has experienced another dry spell and only on four occasions in the past century has the month of May shown so small a rainfall. Unless rain falls, before to-morrow, which seems improbable, England will have had her seventh period of drought—fifteen consecutive days without rain—in the past twelve months.—British Wireless.

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Bottoms Up is a 1934 American comedy film directed by David Swanson and starring Spencer Tracy, Pat Paterson, and John Boles. It was produced by S.O. De Sevia. The film is set in Hollywood and follows the story of a successful but浪子 (lascivious) movie star named Max Baer who is forced to take a job as a waiter at a small restaurant. He meets a woman named Linda (Pat Paterson) who helps him change his ways and become a better person. The film also features performances by Herbert Mundin, Sid Silvers, Harry Green, and Thelma Todd.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Moulin Rouge," the romantic musical, starring Constance Bennett in her first appearance for Joseph M. Schenck's and Darryl Zanuck's 20th Century Pictures, a United Artists release, comes on Sunday for simultaneous showings at the Alhambra and World Theatres. Its story, based on a French stage success of the same name will serve to introduce Miss Bennett in her first dual role, and as a singer of songs especially written for her by Harry Warren and Al Dubin who composed the memorable hits in "42nd Street," "Gold Diggers of 1933" and "Roman Scandals."

Surrounding her is a cast which includes Franchot Tone; Tullio Carminati, stage star of "Strictly Dishonorable"; Helen Westley, one of the founders of the New York Theatre Guild and a star in many of its productions; Andrew Tombes and Russ Brown, comedians in numerous New York stage shows. The Boswell Sisters and Russ Columbo, famous radio stars are another attraction of the stars. Sidney Lanfield, who directed "Society Girl" and "Dance Team," directed "Moulin Rouge." Miss Bennett portrays both the stage-struck wife of a playwright and a gaudily dressed but notorious French music hall artiste. The plot has to do with the efforts of Helen to convince her husband that she should allow a career rather than make a home for him. It accumulates complications which include the situation of the husband making gallant love to her while thinking she is Raquel, and so putting himself in jeopardy of a divorce suit. The story gathers considerable dramatic momentum, and teeters at all times between comedy and romance. Its action, for the most part, takes place backstage of an important New York venue and in the Park Avenue penthouse of the actress Raquel. Miss Bennett introduces two songs "Coffee in the Morning" and "Klaeser in the Night" and "Boulevard of Broken Dreams." Tullio Carminati sings "Song of Surrender." Chorines trained in intricate modernistic dance routines by Russell Markert, who originated the Roxettes in Radio City Music Hall, appear recurrently in numbers keyed to the underlying rhythm of the picture. The picture was produced on an exceedingly lavish scale, and marks Miss Bennett's debut in Musicals.

"The Girl in 419" Robert Montgomery has collected police souvenirs and literature all his life. Now at last he has won a starring role in a film based on the operations of Scotland Yard, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's new thriller, "The Mystery of Mr. X" which opens on Saturday at the Queen's Theatre. In his Beverly Hills home the star has a secret room. It is full of police collections: Choice books, case histories, gleaming rapier, pistols from police departments all over the world. A public official in London, a close friend of the actor, has sent him many tokens acquired by criminals apprehended by Scotland Yard. Hanging over the room's fireplace is a slim, graceful-looking walking stick such as many well-to-do Englishmen might carry. But a close examination reveals it to be a sword-cane, one of the most vicious of criminal weapons. Its former owner was seized, fortunately, before he could use it. A similar sword-cane was fashioned by the studio's property department as the death-dealing weapon used by the murderer "X" in the new film. A tray of gems sparkles brilliantly under a glass case in the room. These, too, are from Scotland Yard: Duplicates of famous gems confined in hidden safes, they were robbed from their owners and seized in subsequent arrests. His library includes many volumes on such subjects. Blackjacks are fastened on the ceiling, pistols are everywhere. Rifles from the native police of certain parts of Africa are slung on wooden pegs in long rows. Commenting on his hobby, Montgomery shrugged: "They help me to relax. Nothing like a good stock gun to rest a fellow after a day's work." In the new film, which Edgar Selwyn directed, Montgomery plays the role of a suave gentleman crook who captures the murderer "X." Elizabeth Allan is his leading lady and the cast includes Lewis Stone, Ralph Forbes, Henry Stephenson, Forrester Harvey, Ivan Simpson, Leonard Mudie, Alec B. Francis and Charles Irwin.

"The Girl in 419"

Motion picture stories are often suggested by newspaper headlines. But H. P. Schulberg, leading producer, has enjoyed the experience of seeing a newspaper headline paralleling a motion picture. The picture is "The Girl in 419," romantic drama which comes to the King's Theatre on Friday, with James Dunn and Gloria Stuart in leading roles. The film centres around a girl brought into an emergency hospital badly beaten and unconscious and saved by the head of the hospital, who is fascinated by her beauty. When the doctors, she begs not to be sent out of the hospital and pleads for protection. Schulberg, reading the newspaper one night when "The Girl in 419" was nearing completion, found an item telling practically the same story. A gangster's girl thrown out of a speeding car was taken to a hospital, recovered consciousness, and begged the authorities not to release her when she was well again. It meant her life. Schulberg was amazed by the similarity of his bit of fiction and this bit of fact; attributed it solely to coincidence. Miss Stuart is "The Girl in 419" and Dunn is the doctor who ultimately straightens out her tangled life and his own. Others in the cast are David Manners, Jack LaRue, Shirley Grey, Johnny Hines and William Harrigan.

"Headline Shooter"

Thrills run rampant and romance progresses at a mile-a-minute pace in "Headline Shooter" RKO-Radio Pictures' realistic melodrama of a daring newsgirl cameraman, which is now showing at the Central Theatre with William Gargan and Frances Dee heading a commendable cast. The film moves at a breakneck speed embracing some of the most remarkable actions never ever caught by the camera. Spectacular episodes during an earthquake, a disastrous fire and a great flood highlight the story. William Gargan makes a deserved bid for starring honours with his excellent performance of the newsgirl cameraman in "Headline Shooter". Frances Dee scores mightily as the newspaper girl and Ralph Bellamy as Hal Caldwell.

"This Side of Heaven"

At last, an average American family has been immortalized in a motion picture production in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film "This Side of Heaven," which is showing at the Alhambra Theatre. The picture tells the story of a typical middle-class family whose heartaches, tragedies, romances and aspirations clash almost simultaneously. At the head of the family, Lionel Barrymore comes through again with one of his masterful performances. At a time when other members of his family are facing their greatest crisis, Barrymore becomes involved innocently in an embezzlement at his office. He attempts suicide but is saved by the concerted efforts of his family. A new face to the screen, but one of the best loved actresses of the stage, Fay Bainter makes her debut in the picture as Barrymore's wife. She has succeeded in selling a novel to a motion picture producer. Mae Clarke, who can always be depended upon for a first rate performance, deviates from her usual exotic roles and, for the first time, appears as a charming school teacher loved by two men, one a matter-of-fact business man, the other in idealistic young newspaperman. Mary Carlisle, so successful in other co-ed portrayals—and who admits she has never attended college—is seen as the younger daughter of Barrymore who believes marriage is too old-fashioned for a girl with her modern views on life. Henry Wadsworth, a recent recruit from the

SHARE PRICES

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks

H.K. Banks, \$1867 1/2 n.
H.K. Bank (London), £131 n.
Chartered Bank, \$16 n.
Mercantile Bank A. & B., \$28 n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$16 n.
East Asia Bank, \$98 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurances

Canton Ins., \$300 n.
Union Ins., \$582 1/2 n.
China Underwriters, \$13 1/2 n.
China Fire, \$510 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.
International Assce., \$6 n.

Shipping

Douglas, \$41 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$9 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.), \$80 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$38 n.
Shells (Bearer), 48/9 n.
Union Waterboats, \$11.10 n.

Mining

Antamoks, 49 cts b.
Balatoes, 43 1/2 cts b.
Bangu Gold, 33 cts b.
Bengots, \$32 1/2 n.
Benguet Exploration, 18 cts b.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts n.
Gold Creek \$3 1/2 n.
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.
Itogons, \$7 n.
Kullam, 21/3 n.
Langkata (Single), \$18 1/2 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$4.80 n.
Shai Loans, \$6 1/2 n.
Raubs, \$15 1/2 n.
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$104 1/2 b.
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$1.90 sa.
Providents (new), 76 cts, n.
Hongkew, Sh. \$350 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$5.20 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$133 n.

Cotton Mills

Two Cottons, Sh. \$10.90 n.
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$75 n.
Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$40 n.
Zoong Sing, Sh. \$18 1/2 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$65 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6 b.
H.K. Lands, \$60 1/2 n.
H.K. Lands, Sh. \$25 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$11.20 n.
H. K. Realties, \$5 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. \$140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. \$20 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$25 1/2 n.
Watsons, \$6 1/2 n.
Dot A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawfords, \$4 b.
Macintosh, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$9 1/2 n.
Wm. Powells, 80 cts, n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$120 n.

Miscellaneous

Amusements, \$4 n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$7 1/2 n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 1/2 n.
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.
Macao "Greyhound," \$1.80 b.
Constructions (old), 70 cts, b.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1926 G.S. Bonds
87 1/2% n.
H.K. Govt. Loan 8 1/2% b. prem
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.

FIGHTING FASCISM.

NORTH ITALY CLERGY INVOLVED IN WAR

Trieste, May 30:
A dangerous state of tension between the Slovene clergy of Northern Italy and the Fascist authorities has been brought to a head by the arrest of Professors Musizzi and Rutra, of the Catholic Seminary at Gorizia, charged with anti-Fascism and creating trouble between the Slovene and Italian clergy.

The seminary has a majority of Slovene students, many of whom resent the Fascist policy of "Italianization."—Reuters Special.

Chinese Estates, \$80 n. China Realties, Sh. \$10 1/2 n. China Debenture, Sh. \$137 n.

Public Utilities

Tramway, \$21.20 b.
Peak Trams (old), \$15 1/2 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$74 n.
Star Ferries (old), \$100 n.
Yaumati Ferries, \$22 1/2 n.
C. Lights (old), \$80 b.
C. Lights (new), \$84 n.
H.K. Electrics, \$78 1/2 n.
Macao Electrics, \$26 b.
Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.
Telephones (old), \$26 n.
Telephones (new), \$12.60 n.
China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.
Singapore Tractions, 5/— n.
Singapore Prof. 16/10 1/2 n.

Industrial

Malabon Sugars, \$12 s.
Cald: Biug. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$270 n.
Canton Ices, \$2.70 n.
Cements (new), \$2.60 s.
H.K. Ropes, \$5 1/2 s.

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LIFE OF SCHEME EXTENDED

BIG CONTRACTS FACILITATED

London, May 30.
The life of the Export Credits Guaranteed Department is to be extended until 1940, a tribute to the success of its activities, particularly in the last twelve months.

The question of extension was before the House of Commons to-day and it was agreed almost unanimously to adopt the Government's proposal for keeping the Department in being until 1940.

The scheme up to now has been remarkably successful.

The Department has been the agency behind the covering of exports valued at over £50,000,000 and recently it has been increasingly enterprising, having facilitated the conclusion of big contracts for British firms in many parts of the world.

It is learned that the Advisory Committee directing the policy of the Department is recommending a reduction of thirty per cent. on the premiums for Russian business.—*Reuter*.

TAIMOSHAN AT DARTMOUTH

(Continued from Page 1.)

regarded as a fine seat and a tribute to their craft, a 24-ton ketch.

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LOG OF JOURNEY.

The log of the "Taimoshan's" journey follows:

May 31: Left Hongkong.
June 5: Arrived Keelung.
June 9: Left Keelung.
June 20: Arrived Yokohama.

July 10: Arrived Nemiuro, Hokkaido.

August 21: Arrived Dutch Harbour, Alaska.

September 12: Arrived Vancouver, B.C.

November 2: Left San Pedro.

1934.

January 5: Reached Panama Canal.

February 3: Left Jamaica.

February 13: Ashore on Crooked Island, in the Bahamas, refitted. Repaired at Nassau.

March 23: Left Nassau.

April 2: Arrived Bermuda.

May 1: Left Bermuda.

The "Taimoshan" was designed by Mr. H. S. Rose, the Vice-Commodore of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club, assisted by Mr. E. Cock, Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., who constructed her.

She is built on racing lines,

and it was the intention of her owners to enter her in some of the races organised by the Royal Ocean Racing Club at Home.—*Reuter*.

JOY-RIDER'S CASE

DISCLAIMER BY MAN OF SAME NAME

Sir.—With reference to the news which appeared in your paper last evening to the effect that a Francis Lee was fined \$100, or two months' hard labour, for having driven a motor car without the permission of the owner, and also that the same man had been convicted last year on a similar offence, I shall be greatly obliged if you will allow me a little space in your valued paper as I wish to state that I had nothing whatever to do with the above-mentioned cases, and it is apparent that the offender in question is an entirely different person to myself.

Since the publication of the above news in the press, it has been necessary for me on innumerable occasions to correct inquiries which are by no means pleasant.

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DISASTER FUND

CLOSURE OF LIST TO-DAY

To-day witnesses the closing of the Telegraph Fund on behalf of the sufferers in the gasworks disaster, to which there has been a splendid response.

Temporary relief has been granted in numerous cases, and the list of applicants is now being re-examined by the St. John Ambulance Brigade distributing centre with a view to increasing the grants in the case of those most in need of further assistance.

Full details of the grants made will later be available for inspection by contributors to the Fund.

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FINGERPRINT EVIDENCE

ACCUSED DENIES BANISHMENT

"I have never been in gaol. It is alleged that I have, I cannot remember," stated Chan Kwai, when before Mr. Macaulay in the Central Police Court this morning he denied a charge of returning from banishment after being deported in November, 1924, for a period of ten years. On charge of the theft of a singlet from the Chinese recreation ground, Hollywood Road, the defendant pleaded guilty.

Sergeant H. N. Moran, officer-in-charge of Criminal Records, gave expert evidence regarding fingerprints, and stated that defendant served four weeks for larceny in October 1924, and was banished the following month.

Defendant was sentenced to eight months' hard labour in all.

THE KAILAN MINE FIRE

THIRTY-TWO DIE IN INJURIES

Tientsin, May 31.
The fire which broke out in the underground electric winch-room of the Kailan Mine at Tungchin-chwang has proved more serious than was at first believed.

One hundred and twelve workers have been rescued but 32 succumbed.

The situation is at present under control and the fire is being localised.—*Reuter*.

ADMIRAL TOGO'S DEATH

FRENCH MINISTER'S MESSAGE

Paris, May 30.
The Minister of Marine has telegraphed to Admiral Osami, Japanese Navy Minister, expressing France's condolences on the death of Admiral Marquis Togo. "I have been profoundly moved," he says, "by death of the illustrious Togo, whose glorious memory will always be cherished by every sailor."—*Reuter*.

ADMIRAL TOGO'S DEATH

HONGKONG'S SYMPATHY EXPRESSED

His Excellency the Governor, in a letter to the Consul General for Japan, has conveyed the deep sympathy of this Colony with the Japanese nation in the great loss which it has sustained through the death of Admiral the Marquis Togo.

FRANCIS LEE,

Uproar at Meeting of Disarmament Conference

ANGLO-FRENCH BREACH CERTAIN

PERSONAL ATTACK ON SIR JOHN SIMON

CHANGE OF VIEWS PARADED

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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GENEVA, MAY 30.

A COMPLETE BREACH BETWEEN BRITAIN AND FRANCE IN DISARMAMENT MATTERS THREATENS FINAL COLLAPSE OF THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE AS THE RESULT OF A SHARPLY-WORDED, IRONICAL SPEECH BY M. BARTHOU, ATTACKING SIR JOHN SIMON'S EFFORTS TO REACH A COMPROMISE AGREEMENT.

The French Minister, addressing the General Commission to-day, compared Sir John's resistance to German rearmament a year ago with his readiness to make concessions to-day in a manner which caused uproar.

The speech was the culmination of a personal quarrel between Sir John Simon and M. Barthou which has been pursued in the corridors in the last few days. An end of Anglo-French co-operation seems the certain outcome.

DAY GIVEN FOR EXCITEMENT TO SUBSIDE

The meeting of the General Commission opened at 3.50 p.m. and the first principal speaker was Britain's Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon.

Sir John proposed that the Conference should prepare an agreement covering, firstly, technical warfare, secondly, budgetary publicity, and thirdly, the establishment of a Permanent Disarmament Commission.

The difficulties of disarmament, he declared, were endangering the whole system of co-operative effort for peace and progress.

BRITISH EFFORTS.

The Conference must deal in realities, said Sir John, who recalled the British efforts to achieve an agreement, pointing to the British compromise plan of January, Captain Anthony Eden's visit to European capitals, and thirdly the concession that had been secured from Germany.

Explaining that Germany, in return for moderate rearmament, had agreed to a five-year delay in the disarmament of the heavily-armed nations, Sir John Simon said: "If an international treaty is to be obtained, this German condition must be modified or accepted. We must face this issue. The only thing that matters now is an agreement. Is there a possible way to construct a bridge over the differences?"

NEW DANGERS.

Britain was unable to agree to an indefinite continuation of the Disarmament Conference because "failure to make any real progress would inflict a great and increasing injury on the League and the whole conception of international action."

Further, delay in reaching an agreement must be resisted because Europe faces new dangers.

"Governments cannot be deceived from dealing with these dangers by the specious plea that the governments are in conference at Geneva."

PERMANENT COMMISSION.

Sir John Simon also stressed that a Permanent Disarmament Commission "would be something accomplished as an immediate outcome of our labours and would encourage and assist the wider agreement that is our main objective."

He said that Britain could not lend herself to the indefinite continuation of vague and inconclusive discussions which justified nothing better than sanguine hopes.

After all, he said, something in the way of a solution may turn up.

THE CHOICE.

Later, he recommended the Conference to consider once again

If the speeches in debate were to be useful they must, he said, deal with the realities that now faced them and he proceeded to address himself to some of them, recalling that during the last six months, since the work of the Conference was adjourned to permit of parallel and supplementary efforts being carried on, the British Government have been very closely associated with these efforts. He referred, in particular, to the United Kingdom Memorandum of January 29th, and the statement, textually approved by the German Government, which Britain obtained, of modifications in the memorandum which Germany was prepared to accept and which included a concession to heavily armed powers that there should be no disarmament for first five years of a ten years' convention.

NO PROGRESS.

He was grateful for what Mr. Norman Davis had said as to the value of these efforts but they had not produced a new basis of agreement and as the President pointed out on Monday: "In view of the opinion expressed in the French memorandum of April 17th, it seemed that diplomatic negotiations between the powers could hardly be carried on any further."

Dealing with the circumstances in which these diplomatic negotiations were entered upon Sir John Simon recalled that, in November, the conference found itself unable to proceed to a second reading of the draft convention with any solid hope of thereby reaching a unanimous agreement.

Germany was absent and some method had to be found to keep her in touch in the hope of bringing her back within the ambit of discussion and negotiation, with a view to an ultimate agreement.

For an International agreement about armaments necessarily involved amongst other things that Germany should be a party to it.

DIFFERENT VIEWS.

The French Government, in a memorandum of March 19th, expressed concurrence with the phrase in the previous United Kingdom memorandum that the

reconciliation of the points of view of France and Germany was an essential condition of a general agreement?

What, he asked, were the essential differences which divided these two points of view as they emerged from the documents exchanged between the various powers?

In its statement of views of April 16th, the German Government had done their very best to be bridge-builders.

By end of this general debate they ought to see more clearly where the foundations for such a bridge must be laid if the gap was to be closed. They could see already how overwhelmingly grave the consequences must be if, after all this effort and these prolonged debates, no bridge could be built.

GERMANY'S CLAIM.

If, therefore, an International agreement was to be reached, either their claim must be modified or conceded. If they really desired to do business in the conference it was essential that this issue should be faced and dealt with now by those principally concerned.

GERMANY CLAIMED.

Germany claimed that the convention, if it followed the general lines already approved by the vote of General Commission, should accept a level of German armaments higher than that provided in the peace treaties to the extent indicated in the document of April 16th.

FRENCH STAND.

On the other hand, it appeared from the documents that France would desire to stand fast by the limits suggested at the meeting of the Bureau on October 14th last, with the modification contained in the French memorandum of January 1st.

Suggestions made in October

propounded a basis which would have admitted of no immediate rearmament of Germany other than an increase in quantities proportionate to a gradual transformation of the Reichswehr and the arms which she was, by treaty, entitled to possess.

Germany had rejected that suggestion and the contrast between that proposal and the formulated requirements of Germany of April 16th was obvious.

Were those suggestions, in the

present circumstances, a possible basis of an International agreement?

The Conference would make no progress by avoiding or burying these crucial points beneath mere general observations.

BRIDGE BUILDERS.

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IN THE OPINION OF THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

In the opinion of the British Government, the draft convention which the conference had adopted as the basis still afforded the best solution. Realising, however, the serious consequences of failure to reach an agreement they determined to formulate the modifications which found expression in the memorandum of 29th January.

It contained proposals regarded not as ideal, but as most likely of acceptance. The close approximation between that memorandum and the German declaration showed that the differences were being narrowed.

CONCRETE PROPOSAL.

The British Government felt that the line of that memorandum was more likely to produce an agreement than any other concrete proposal.

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MARRIED FLIRTS

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kitchen, popping corn," Tom told her. "It's eight o'clock. Your father's talking about wanting supper."

"Supper!" Gypsy cried, appalled. "We only left the table a moment ago."

"You've lost count," Tom retorted. He pulled her to her feet. Arm in arm, they joined the group in the kitchen. Beatrice had her red silk frock covered by a tent-like apron. She was slicing bread. Mr. Morell withdrew his head from the icebox door.

"We're scrabbling for supper," he told his eldest daughter. "Come and help."

Gypsy said she couldn't eat a bite. She felt like a Strasbourg goose already. But when at last the impromptu feast was spread, she found herself nibbling at bits of things. A wing of the ravaged bird, a buttered roll,

"Oh, this hot tea is heaven, Mums! I always forget how much I love tea."

Cousin Lou beamed. "Try some of this fruit cake, Gypsy. It's Grand Aunt Mildred's recipe."

Gypsy laughed helplessly. This was Christmas, after all. She would go back to bread and milk on the morrow to make up her dietary sins.

At 10 o'clock she and Tom pulled themselves and their various belongings together.

"Night, Mums. Such a good day, darling. Night, Daddy. Remember you're all coming to my place next week."

"Sunday, yes," Mrs. Morell said comfortably. "I declare, I think it's too much for you, Gypsy. Better let it go."

"Nonsense. I'll expect you." There were kisses all around and then the door closed and she and Tom were in the little car together.

"Brr!" Gypsy held her fur collar high. The wind was bitter now, sweeping across the flats.

Tom tucked the robe in around her. If only he'd been able to buy her that fur coat! Maybe next year . . .

Gypsy pushed the thought of Saturday far back in her mind. She'd have to make some excuse to Tom for not meeting him that afternoon. What should she say? She hated lies, but this was one which had to be told.

(To Be Continued.)

POLICE EVACUATE.

OLD NO. 8 STATION TO BE DEMOLISHED

Sub-Inspector Mist, officer-in-charge, Sergt. Stater, Sergt. Wagland and the Weihaiwei and Indian policemen stationed at the old No. 8 Police Station (Upper Levels) at Bonham Road, evacuated yesterday, as the building is to be demolished. A new structure is being erected in the near future.

The old building was originally the Rheinisch Mission and then became the Police Training School for many years, until 1927, when the present Training School building at Mongkok was established.

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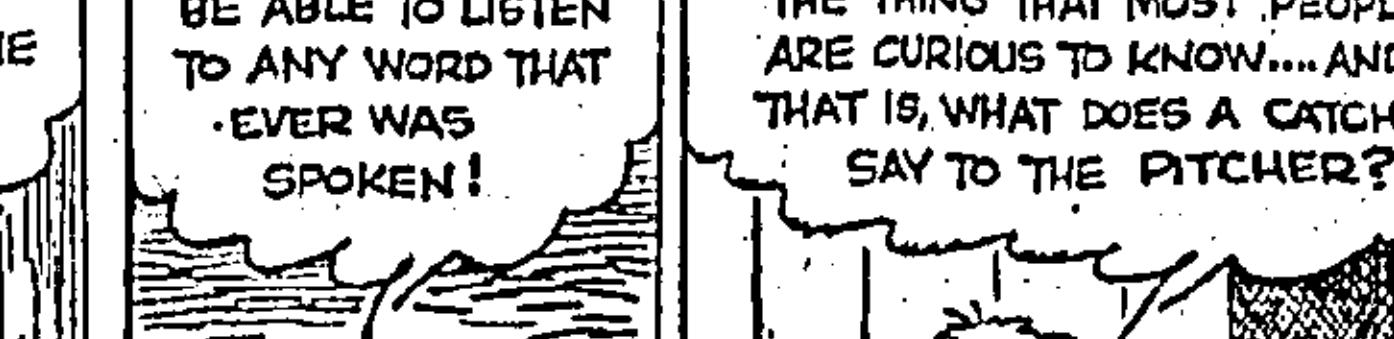
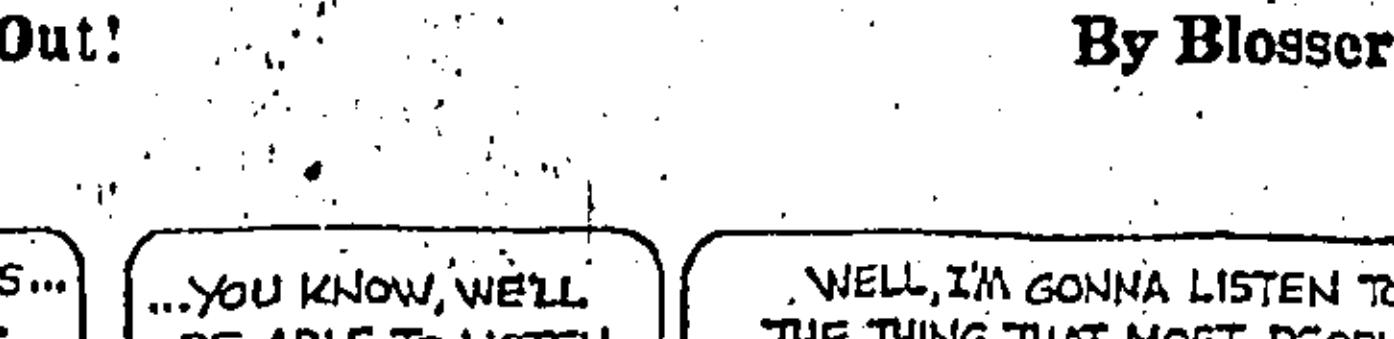
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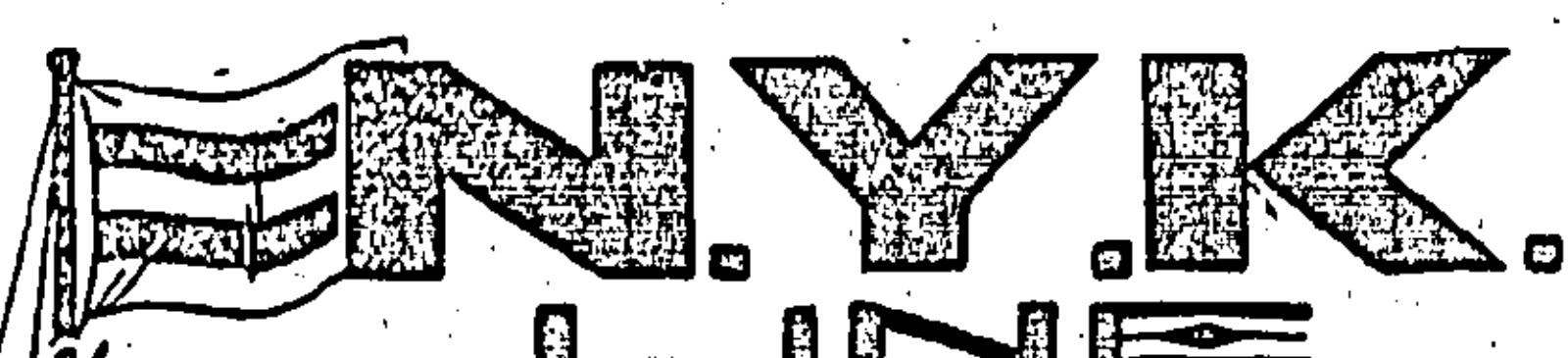
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CONTRACT BRIDGE

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Solution to Previous Contract Problem

It does not pay to attack a slam contract with a normal opening. If a slam has been bid by two good opponents and they seem to arrive at the contract without any misunderstanding, it is up to you to try to reserve a trick for yourself or to establish a trick for your partner.

To-day's hand was played by C. B. Pennybaker of Cleveland, who, with his partner, W. J. Roberts, recently won the Greater Cleveland tournament.

The Bidding

South has a defensive type hand. When holding this type of hand, it requires 3½ primary tricks to open the bidding; therefore, South properly passed. North does not have a no trump type of hand.

While he has an exceptionally strong hand, he can bid nothing but one club. Of course, this is a third hand club bid and may signify weakness, but, in face of that, when South went to two no trump, he signified that he had everything but an original bid.

North was justified in going to four no trump, as a jump bid shows South that his partner had a real bid and that his suit was clubs. So, with four clubs, South felt that he had a good fit in clubs and jumped the contract to six.

The Play

The big problem of this hand is the opening lead. If West opens a club, the declarer is going to make three clubs, four diamonds, two hearts, and three spades.

With a spade or a diamond opening, the declarer can make it tough for West, but West can defeat the

hand if he plays well.

He now knew that West had the

king and jack of hearts and the queen of clubs, so he led the ten of clubs, putting West in the lead, and West was forced to lead away from his king-jack of hearts, giving Pennybaker the last two tricks.

When the hand was actually played, West opened the three of hearts, which it believed to be a poor lead, because it is certainly into a tenace position of the declarer's. I would prefer to hold back on the hearts and clubs. My most likely lead against a slam contract would be the singleton diamond.

However, with a heart opening,

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West, on the third spade, was forced to let go the nine of hearts.

Therefore, Pennybaker led the ace of clubs from dummy and then played the six of clubs. East

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REPLY TO CRITICISM

Genoa, May 30. Mr. Victor Hoo, Chinese delegate, speaking before the Opium Advisory Commission to-day in reply to Mr. Fuller's attack, said that unfortunately he was unable to report any improvement in the situation which had recently become aggravated in China. However, China was determined to carry on the struggle against

opium and would welcome any technical assistance of the sort suggested by Mr. Fuller.

Mr. Hoo emphasised that China was more menaced by foreign drugs, clandestinely introduced into her territory, than other countries were threatened by Chinese products. He proposed, first, that the powers should not protect their nationals engaged in illicit traffic; and, secondly, that measures be taken against foreign vessels employed in coastal and river navigation which were engaged in the narcotic trade.—Reuter.

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Replying to questions by the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall in the Legislative Council this afternoon, regarding the adequacy of postal facilities in the New Territories, the Hon. Colonial Secretary said:

The only direct departmental services maintained in the New Territories are furnished by a postman attached to the office of the District Officer, North, Taipo, who serves Taipo Market and by a travelling postman who proceeds by train daily to Shing Shui and thence by bus to Un Long where he effects local delivery, collection and sale of stamps.

Otherwise the New Territories is served from the various Police Stations which exchange closed mails with the General Post Office daily and which effect district deliveries and sale of stamps in addition.

The particular districts referred to other than Taipo Market and Un Long namely Tsun Wan, Castle Peak, Kam Tin, Sheung Shui and Sha Tin are served by the Police Stations.

NEW OFFICES

Post Offices are shortly to be established at Un Long and Taipo Market. In this year's Estimates provision has been made for the renting of suitable premises and/or a staff of one clerk and two postmen for each office. In due course the present system will be progressively re-

FRANCE AND LOAN DEFAULTS

TARIFF SURTAX POSSIBLE

COMPLICATIONS FEARED

Paris, May 30. International reprisals may follow a special French tariff which is now under study.

The Government is undoubtedly contemplating the presentation of a Bill to the Chamber providing for the imposition of a special surtax on imports from countries which have defaulted on their loans.

The proceeds would be devoted to paying off arrears in the debts to French bondholders.

It is understood that the French Government is chiefly concerned about defaults on Far Eastern bonds, and particularly those issued by Tokyo.

City and trade circles are of the opinion that the Bill would encounter stiff opposition in Parliament as it would entail international complications, raising the question of treaty rights.

It might conceivably also lead to reprisals by the United States for the war debt default.—Reuter.

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CHINA AND JAPAN

ARIYOSHI RETURNS TO SHANGHAI

Shanghai, May 30. Mr. Ariyoshi, the Japanese Minister to China, arrived this afternoon.

Interviewed by Reuter, he declared that he had not yet decided when to see General Huang Fu (Chairman of the Peiping Military Council) or when he would go to Nanking. He denied having received specific instructions from the Japanese Foreign Office with reference to the resumption of through traffic on the Peiping-Liaoning line. He said that the issue should be settled between the

Kwangtung army and the Chinese local authorities.

Japan hopes that the Chinese Government can liquidate her debts to Japan but is not prepared to make definite demands, said Mr. Ariyoshi.

Referring to direct negotiations, the Japanese Minister said that up to the present, the two countries had been negotiating directly. There was nothing particular in such negotiations.

Japanese feeling toward China was improving lately and he hoped that China would reclarify that attitude.

Mr. Ariyoshi said that the Japanese leaders were at one in policy towards China, although they differed considerably regarding internal problems.—Reuter.

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The appointment, which takes effect from October 1, carries with it a commencing salary of £1,000 a year.

Mr. Austin, who is 31, is at present conductor at the London Coliseum. He studied at the Royal College of Music, and in 1928 was musical director of the Bristol Orchestra, and subsequently conductor of the Bristol Symphony Orchestra. The Christmas production of *Hansel and Gretel* at the Cambridge Theatre was also conducted by him. His father is Mr. Frederick Austin, the well-known singer, composer, and operatic director.

Sir Dan Godfrey, who will retire at the end of September, has been associated with the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra for over 40 years. Starting with a small military band in 1893, he fostered interest in music in Bournemouth until he was ultimately able to build up a symphony orchestra which has made Bournemouth the chief centre of musical activity on the South Coast.

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